

BETABLISHD

Joseph Gillott's

PENS Of Highest Quality, & Having Greater

The only Award Chicago, 18

No. 13,668

號大叶月正年七零百九千一英

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 86, 1907.

日三十月二十年午丙

Intimations.

WHO'S WHO

FAR EAST.

ONLY BOOK OF REFERENCE

THE FAR EAST IS NOW ON SALE

Price ... ... \$10.

FORWARDED TO ANY ADDRESS.

PRIMABLE FROM THE PUBLISHERS-8. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Hongkong.

Hongkong, July 10, 1906.

NOTICE.

Have This Day Appointed ME GOYNE. STEVENS to act as ATTORNEY for me during my absence from the Colony. During my temporary absence Dr AINSLIE will attend to my patients.

Hongkong, January 25, 19 7.

NOTICE.

THE ADJOURNED ANNUAL MEET. TING of the MEDICAL MISSION. ARY SUCIETY IN CHINA will be held in the AMPRITHEATRE of the Society's Medical College, Canton, on THURSDAY, January 31, at 3 P.M. R. H. GRAVES, President.

GEO. H. MoNEUR, Secretary. Hongkong, January 25, 1907.

D.G. LODGE OF S. OHINA AND HUNGKONG E.C.

I M's who are NOT Members of any WI. Lodge in the Colony are reminded that applications for Tickets to H.R.H. THE DURE OF CONNAUGHT'S Reception must reach The D.G. Dir. of Ceremonies E.C., MASONIC HALL, NOT LATER

Members of Lodges in the Colony desirous of attending should at ply to the Secretaries of their Lodges BEFORE THE THE KOWLOON LAND & BUILDING Sign Instant, to whom full particulars are being sent.

Hongkong, January 24, 1907.

THE CHINA PROVIDENT LOAN AND MORTGAGE COMPANY, LIMITED.

MEETING of SHAREROLDERS in 31st December, 1906. the Company will be held at the OFFICES of the Company, ST. George's Building, Accounts and the Report of the G neral registered. Managers for the year ending 31st Decem-ber, 1906, declaring a Dividend and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

pany will be CLOSED from WEDNES-DAY, the 23rd January, until SATUR-DAY, the 26th January, 1907, both days inclusive ... SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, January 8, 1907. .. 62

THE WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LIMITED.

Company will be held at the Company of On MONDAY, the 28th January :-Offices, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 28th January, at 11.30 o'clock A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st Decem-

ber, 1906. The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from SATUR. DAY, the 19th January, to MONDAY, the 28th January (both days inclusive), during On WEDNESDAY, the 20th January :- ditions may be seen at the office of the which period no Transfer of Shares can be From Kowloon West and North Point, Dragon Cycle Depot. Entries close

· By Order of the Board of Directors. A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT AND AGENCY Co., LD. General Agents for THE WEST POINT BUILDING Co., LD.

Hongkong, January 14, 1907.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the NINETEENTH ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 28th January, 1907, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with Statement of Accounts for the year onding 31st Dec.,

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be OLOSED from SATUR. DAY, the 19th January, to MONDAY, the 28th January (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be

By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HUOPER,

Secretary. Hongkong, January 14, 1907.

PRICE, \$8.00 Per Month

Business Notices.

CO. BAILEY

SHIPBUILDERS. ENGINEFRS

WORKS : K : WLCON BAY.

OFFICES & STORES: No. 20, CONNAUGHT ROAD.

HONGKONG, CANTON, MACAO AND WEST RIVER STEAMERS.

JOINT SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND PROMINENT MEN OF MACAO STEAMBOAT CO., LAD., AND THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LTD.

Hongkong-Canton Line.

8.8. HONAM, 2,383 tons, Captain H. D. Jones.
8.8. POWAN, 2,338 tons, Captain W. A. Valentine,
8.8. FATSHAN, 2,260 tons, Captain B. Branch.
8.8. KINSHAN, 1,995 tons, Captain J. J. Lossins.
8.8. HEUNGSHAN, 1,998 tons, Captain R. D. Thomas.

Departures from Hongkong to Canton daily at 8 a.m. (Sunday Excepted), 9 p.m. (Saturday Excepted). Departures from Canton to Hongkong daily at 8 s.m. and 5 p.m. (Sunday excepted).

These Steamers, carrying His Majesty's Mails, are the largest and fastest on the River. Special attention is drawn to their Superior Saloen and Cabin accommodation.

SERVICE OF THE HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong-Macao Line.

8.4. SUI-AN, 1,651 tons, Captain T. Hamlin. 8.8 SUI-TAI, I,651 tons, Captain G. F. Morrison. Departures from Hongkong to Macao on week days at 8 A.M. from Douglas Wharf and at 2 P.M. from the Company's Wharf On Sundays Special Cheap Excursions, leaving Hongkong at 9 A.M. from Douglas Wharf and at 1 P.M. from Company's Departures from Macao to Hongkong on week days at 8 A.M. and 2 P.M. On Sundays

Canton-Macao Line.

Departures from Macso to Capton on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 7.30 a.m. Departures from Canton to Macso on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7.30 a.m.

JOINT BERVIOR OF THE H.K., C. AND MAGAG STEAMBOAT CO., LAD., THE CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LAD.

Canton-Wuchow Line. 8.8. SAINAM, 588 bons, Captain J. Willox.
8.8. NANNING, 569 tons, Captain A. McKinnon.

One of the above Steamers leaves Canton for Wuchow every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at about 8 a.m., and the other leaves Wuchow for Uanton on the same days at 8.30 a.m. Round trips take about five days. These vewels have Superior Cabin Accommodation and are lighted throughout by electricity. Further particulars may be obtained at the Office of the -

HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO BTRAMBOAT CO., LD. HOTEL MANSIONS, (First Floor), opposite the Hongkoug Hosel.
Or of BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE, Agents, UHINA NAVIGATION CO., LTD

COMPANY, LIMITED.

at 8 4. M. and 3 F.M.

ATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the EIGHTEENTH ORDINARY BRUCE in our Firm ceased on 31st MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, VICTORIA BUILDINGS, on MON-DAY, the 4th February, 1907, at 12 o'clock LAUS OHLY Partners in our Firm from Frank Brown, Sea Apprentice, by Noon, for the purpose of receiving the this date. Report of the Directors together with THE TENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL Statement of Accounts for the year ending

The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNES-No. 6, Connaught Road, on SATURDAY, DAY, the 30th January, to MUNDAY, the 26th January, 1907, at 11.30 A.M., for the 4th February, (both days inclusive), during purpose of receiving a Statement of which period no Transfer of Shares can be By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary to the Hongkong Land Invest-MENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Agents for the Kowloon Land & Building COMPANY, LAD.

Bongkong, January 25, 1907.



HARBOUR MASTER'S DEPART. MENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the NINETEENTH ORD LN ARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Company at the Company of t

From Stoncoutters and Belober F.C., in UNDER the auspices of the Dragon Westerly and North-Westerly Uyele Depot a BIOYCLE ROAD RACE A.M., and finishing at 2 P.M. direction, at ranges up to 6,000 February 13th.

yards, commercing at 7 P.M., and finishing at 9 P.M.

in a Westerly and North-Easterly MONDAY; February, 9th, at 8 p.m. direction respectively, at ranges up to 10,000 yards, commencing at 9 30 A.M., and finishing at 1.30 P.M. On THURSDAY, the Sist January :-From Stonecutters and Belcher F C., in

a Westerly and North-Westerly direction respectively, at ranges up to 10,000 yards, commencing at 9.30. If the weather is unfavourable on any of the above dates, Practice will take place All ships, junks and other vessels are to

on the following day. keep clear of the ranges. CHARLES WILLIAM BECKWITH, LIEUT., R.N.,

Harbour Master, de. Hongkong, January 22, 1907. CARMICHAEL AND

CLARKE. CONSULTING ENGINEERS AND SHIPBUILDERS,

SURVEYORS AND CONTRACTORS. REPAIRS PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. TELEGRAMS: 'CARMICHARL,' HONGRONG A. B. C. Code, 4th Edition A. 1 Code. Lieber's Standard Code. TELEPHONE, 232,

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBI LITY of MR R: BERT HUNTER December, 1906. We have Admitted MR WILLIAM WILSON and MR RICHARD NIKO

TAIT & Co. Amoy, January 1, 1907.

FRENCH LESSONS.

TRENCH TAUGHT entirely by Con versation and without translation, imitating the natural way a child learns its mother tongue, by a Frenchman. Apply to Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office,

Hongkong, January 5, 1907.

BICYCLE ROAD RACE! BICYCLE ROAD RACE!

valued at \$125.00. 2nd PRIZE, one pair of 1st Grade DUNLOP CAMPBELL, MOORE & CO., LTD. TYPES. All with 12 months' guarantee.

Prizes Presented by Mr S. A. MARI-CAN, Dragon Cycle Depot.

direction respectively, at ranges up from Kowloon Ferry Wharf, Kowloon, to to 10,000 yards, commencing at 9.30 Taipo and back, covering a distance of about 36 miles, will be held on the first day of From Pakshawan, in a North-Easterly the Chinese New Year, WEDNESDAY, All cyclists invited to enter-

Entrance fee, \$3.00. Rules and Con-Hongkong, January 15, 1967.

Business Notices.

(SOLE AGENTS FOR BELL'S ASBESTOS CO., LTD., LONDON).

SAVE FUEL BY COVERING YOUR BOILERS AND STEAMPIPES,

ASBESTOS NON-CONDUCTING COMPOSITION.

ESTIMATES GIVEN

1845

Bags of I cwt, each.

OFFICE: 6, DES VŒUX ROAD.

OR SUPPLIED IN

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

JUST RECEIVED A CONSIGNMENT OF FLAKED RICE - 40 Cts. per tin

TAPIOCA FLAKES - - 60 Cts. per tin PURE FLAKED SAGO - 50 Cts. per tin

The above are ideal foods for Children and Invalids and make most DELICIOUS PUDDINGS and CUSTARDS.

SIMPLE TO COOK. - HASILY DIGESTED.

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO. Hongkong, January 19, 1907.

REMINGTON

ALL REQUISITES. WITH

SOLE AGENTS.

Hongkong, March 2, 1906

REDUCTION IN PRICE. Ward .... St.50 The 'Daily Mail' Year Book ... A Lady of Rome, by F Marion The Treasure of Heaven, by Marie The Poscher's Wife, by Eden Phil-

The Car of Destiny, by C. N. and A. M. Williamson ... ... 1.50 The White House, by M.E. Braddon 1.70 Helena's Love Story, by Guy Thorne 1.50 The Tyranny of Faith, by Carl Joubert 1.50 The Old Country, by H Newbolt ... 1.50 A Diama in Sunshing, by H. A. Vachell The Sinews of War, by Eden Philpotts and A. Bennett ... ... 1,50 Rosemary in Search of a Father, by U. N. and A. M. Williamson ... 1.50 Sophy of Krayonia, by Anthony Hope 1.50 50 Chippings by Stanley Weyman 1.50 Growth, by Graham Travers ... ... The Soul Stealer, by C. Ranger Gull Prisoners, by Mary Chelmondoley ... 1.50

Sir Nigel, by A. Conan Doyle ... ... 1.50 White Fang, by Jack London ... The Little Squire, by Mrs H. de la 1st Prize, a NEW MARICAN BICYCLE, The Woman of Babylon, by J. Hooking 1.50

NOTIUE. N and after the 1st FEBRUARY next,

J Prices for HAIR CUTTING, SHAVING, &o , will be reduced as follows :--SHAVING ..... 25 ... TRIMING BEARDS .... 25 

By Order, M. A. A. SOUZA, Setretary, CAMPRELL, MOORE, & Co., LIMITED, Hongkong Hotel Buildinge. 101 Hong ong, January 13, 1907.

Whitaker's Almanack ... 80 Cents and \$2.00 Who's Who ... 7.25 The Japan Year Book : ... ... Christmas Number of Strand Magazine do: Pearson's Magazine 1.50 The China Coaster's Pocket Book

> WAYS THAT ARE DARK' Some Chapters on Chinese Eti-quette and Social Procedure, by W. Gilbert Wal-he ... ... ... \$3.00 Character or the Power of Principles, by F. H. Randall ... 2.00 The Evolution of Culture and other Essays, by Lt.-Gen. Lane-Fox Pitt Rivers ... 5.50 Race Culture or Race Suicide? A Plea for the Unborn, by R. R. Rentoul, M.D... ... 5.50 Occasional Papers, Dramatical and Historical, by H. B. Irving ... 2.70 How to Become a Qualified Accountant, by R. A. Witty ... ... 1.50 Historical Study of the Mother. Tongue, by H. O. Wyld ... 3,50

Sinolair ... ... ... ... DR T. YAMASAKI

The Principles and Methods of Taxa-

A Captain of Industry, by Upton

tion, by G. Armitage-Smith ... ... 5.00

Dental Surgeon (JAPANESE DIPLOMA).

34. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL Oppo rost Office.

DR H. ISHIWARAI Dental Surgeon (JAPANESE DIPLOMA).

244. SHAMEEN, CANTON. Fees Very Moderate. Latest American Methods. . NO CHARGE FOR EXAMINATION. H ngkong, December 1, 1908,

## CARLTON HOUSE HOTELS,

and 10, Ice House Road,

ROOMS. FURNISHED AND THE CUISINE A SPECIALTY. THE MANAGER FOR TERMS APPLY TO

PRIVATE HOTEL.

88, MAIN STREET, Yokohama. TIRET-OLASS Accommodation and Cuisine. Moderate Tariff, from yen 60 per month. Special terms quoted for

Families or permanent gueste.

January 21, 1907,

JUST RECEIVED CILLETTERSAFETY RAZORS, MANDARIN RAZORS WITH EXTRA BLADES.

PERFUMERY.

28 & 29, LEE YUEN STREET (WEST) HONGKONG. DEALERS DE

All Borts of COPPER, BRASS, STBET IRON WARE, &c. STREEL GIRDERS and TRES" CORRUGATED IRON, PIGITRON, &c. Stitable for BRIDE BROIDERERS AND HOUSE BUILDERS.

Business Notices.

BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LIMITED GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., LD

## CEMENT

In Casks of 375 lbs. net, \$4.50 per Cask, ex Fautory.

In Bags of 250 lbs, net, \$2.70 per Bag, 'ex Factory.

Shewan, Tomes & Co., GENERAL MANAGERS,

RACES-1907-

MONDAY, JANUARY CONSIGNMENT OF MILLINERY, DRESS GOODS, COATS, FUR & FEATHER BOAS,

New Novelties for the Race Season in all Depts.

(LATE METROPOLE HOTEL) SHAUKIWAN ROAD.

THE RURAL RETREAT OF HONGKONG. pleasant drive along the Sea Front, either by Tram or Rickshaw.

WINES, BOWLING, BEST OF BILLIARDS.

OTHER PASTIMES.

MENTAL WALLSHE, LIED. Hotel Accommodation at most Moderate Rates. Hongkong, January 14, 1907.

## THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

UNRIVALLED FOR COMFORT AND CUISINE. and Nautical Pooket Manual ... 2.50 THOROUGHLY UP TO DATE WITH EVERY | MODERN LUXURY MODERATE TERMS AND NO EXTRAS

H. HAYNES, Manager,

HOTEL BALTIMORE - LATE HOTEL AMERICA.

2, VYNDHAM STREET. FIRST-CLASS HOTEL under European Management. NICELY FURNISHED. AIRY ROOMS, EVERY COMFORT FOR RESIDENTS AND TOURISTS. EXCELLENT CUISINE. Three minutes' walk from the Ferry Wharf. THE MANAGER. Apply to TERMS REASONABLE.

THE

VICTORIA DISPENSARY

Opposite the Clock Tower). Family and Dispensing Chemists.

Importers of Wines and Spirits AERATED WATER MANUFACTURERS.

N.B.—Prices have been considerably reduced on account

of high exchange.

PRICE LISTS ON APPLICATION. CHEUNG, PHOTOGRAPHER

(Ice House Lane). TYPHOON PICTURE POSTCARDS NOW ON BALE. THE TYPHOON ALBUM, WITH A COMPLETE

Hongkong, November 27, 1906.

ASK

PILSENER

FOR

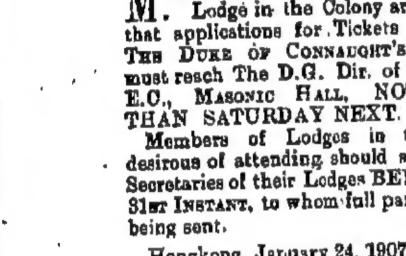
and see that you get it. LOOK CAREFULLY AT THE LABEL. BEWARE OF COLOURABLE IMITATIONS

of over 50 Scenes.

Telephone No. 75. SOLE ACENTS!

Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co.,

15, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL



# Perrins Sauce.



By Royal Warrant His Majesty the King.

THE ORIGINAL AND CENUINE WORCESTERSHIRE.

## G. FALCONER & Co.,

WATCH-MAKERS AND JEWELLERS.

HOTHL MANSIONS.

NEW SELECTIONS OF DIAMOND JEWELLERY AND, ENGLISH SILVER WARE, HIGH-CLASS GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES.

LARGE SELECTION OF PRESENTATION PLATE, CUPS, BOWLS, ETC. G. FALCONER & Co. ARE AGENTS FOR ROSS'S FAMOUS TELESCOPES AND BINOCULARS, LORD KELVINS NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, ADMIRALTY CHARTS AND BOOKS.

---:( =:):----AGENTS FOR THE EMPIRE TYPEWRITER.

JAPAN



COALS.

### KAISHA

(MITSUI & CO.) HEAD OFFICE :- 1, SUBTGA-CEO, TOKTO,

LOYDON BRANCH :- 34, LINE STREET, E.C. SONGKONG BRANCH :- PRINCE'S BUILDINGS, ICS HOUSE STREET, FIRST FLOOR

OTHER BRANCHES:

How York, San Francisco, Hamburg, Bombay, Singapore, Sourabaya, Manila, Amoj, Shanghai, Cheico, Tientsin, Newchwang, Port Archur, Seoul, Chamulpo, Yokohamr, Yokosuka, Nagoya, Osaka, Kobe, Maidenru, Kure, Shimonosaki, Moji, Wakamatsu, Karatsu, Nagasaki, Kuchinotsu, Sasabo, Maideuru, Miika Hakodata A Distance of the acousting makes of the

Telegraphic Address 'MITSUI' (A.B.C. and A 1 Codes.)

State Railways; Principal Railway Companies and Industrial Works; Home and Foreign Mail and Freight Steamers.

SOLE PROPRIETORS of the Famous Milke, Tagawa, Yamano, and Ida Coal Mines.

COLE AGENTS for Hokoku, Hondo, Kausda, Fujinotana, Mameda, Mannoura.

Onoura, Otsuji, Sasahara, Tsubakuro, Yoshinotani, Yoshio, Yunokibara, and other

M. KOBAYASHI, Manager, Hoogkong. Hongkong, January 24, 1907.

### USE ONLY & USE ALWAYS

MOST REFRESHING.

LUXURIOUS PERFUME IN HEALTH.

Far Superior German Kinds.

A NECESSARY RESTORATIVE IN STOKNESS.

FOR THE SKIN and COMPLEXION.

Scothing, Healing, and Emollient in its effects; it removes Freckles, Tan, Redness, Roughness, and all Cutaneous Eruptions, produces a Softness, and Delicacy of the Face, Nock, Hands and Arms, and imparts a Matchless Beauty to the Complexion unobtainable by hand wattanted Harmless. Bottles, 2/8 and 3/6, sold by Stores, Chemists, and

ROYLAND'S. 87, HATTON GARDEN, LONDON ... For impure and unhankly shin its Curative and Madicinal properties are unrivalied; nothing equals it; the official stamp proves this.

The only Medicine of the kind awarded a Certificate at the Calcutta Exhibition, 1883-4, open to all:

# DR. LALOR'S

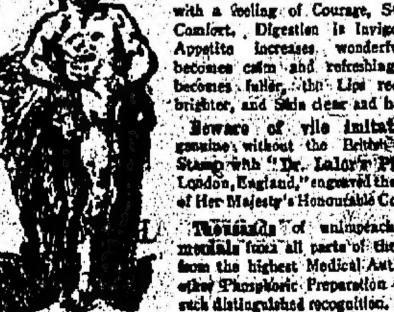
PHOSPHORIC MEDICINE IN THE WORLD! For forty years has maintained its world-wide reputation as the Best and

only safe reliable Phesphoric Cure for BRAIN WRICKAGE, PARALTEIS, SLEEPLESS. stess, Dyspepsia, Nerve, Kidney, and Liver Complaints, Harassing Dreams, Premature Decay of Vital Power, General Debility, all Blood Disorders, and all Functional and Diseased Conditions of the System, caused

by the deficiency of the Vital Forces. The effect of this Standard Phosphoric Remedy in Nervous Debility and its kindred

Rells is immediate and permanent, all the Miserable Feelings and Distressing Samptoms disappearing with a twidity that is really marvellous. Directions for Self-Treatment of the above

distante with each Bottler --



Its energialog effects are about from the first day of its administration by a Remarkable facrease of Nerve and Intellectual Power, with a feeling of Courage, Strength, and Comfort. Digestien is Invigorated. The Appetite increases wonderfully. Sleep becomes calm and refreshing. The Pace becomes fuller, the Lips red, the Eyes brighter, and Skin clear and bealthy. Boware of vile imitations !- None gangine, without the Britist Gavernment Stano was "Dr. Lalor " Phosphodyuc, London, England," engraved thereon, by order of Her Majesty's Honourable Commissioners. Thousands of unimpeachable tostimentals from all parts of the World, and from the highest Medical Authorities. No ether Phosphoric Preparation has received

HEALTH, STRENCTH & ENERGY.

Sold to Bottles at 4s. Gd. and 11s. each, by all Chemists throughout the World. CHANGE CHEY AT DR. LALOR'S PHOSPHODYNE LABORATORY HAMPSTHAD, LONDON, HINGLAND.

Ajenia .- A. C. WATSON & Co. LD.

#### Incimations.

#### BICYCLES From \$75 Complete.

\$2 each.

DONE BY SKILLED WORKMEN.

PLEASE CALL :-

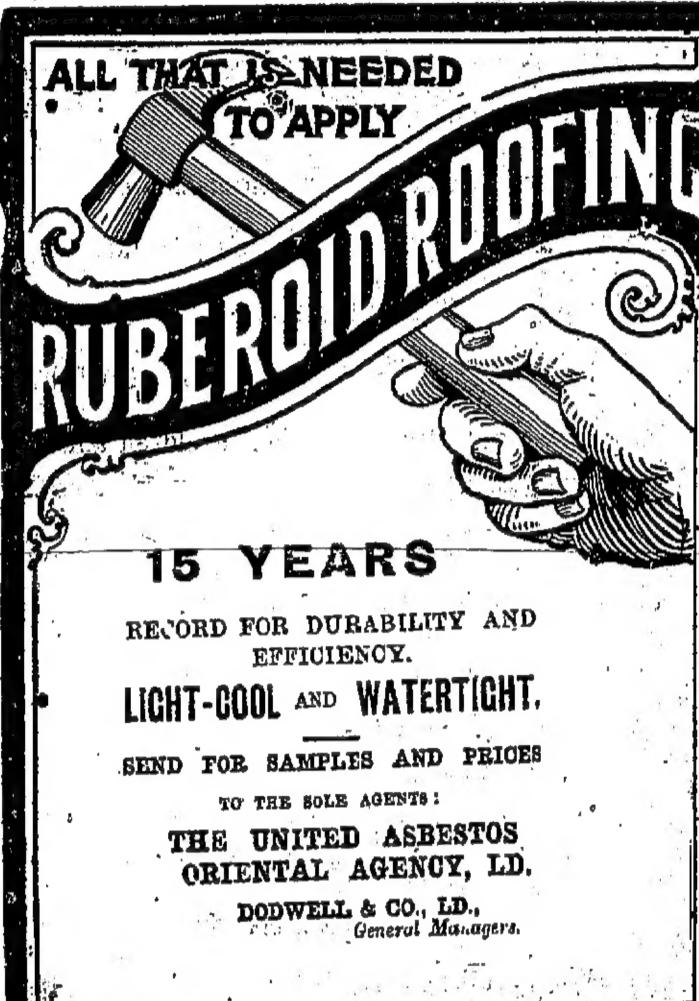
DRAGON CYCLE DEPOT 11, D'Aguilar Street.

Works at 4, Arsenal Street. Hongkong, January 11, 1907.

### MUMEYA.

AND PHOTOGRAPHER. ON BROMIDE PAPER AND FINISHED IN CRAYON.

ALL KINDS OF WORK DONE FOR AMATEURS SA, QUBEN'S ROAD OENTRAL.



## Is an unfailing Cure For Old Wounds, Sores, Piles, Fistulas, Bad Legs,

Bad Breasts. EVERY FORM OF SKIN DISEASE.

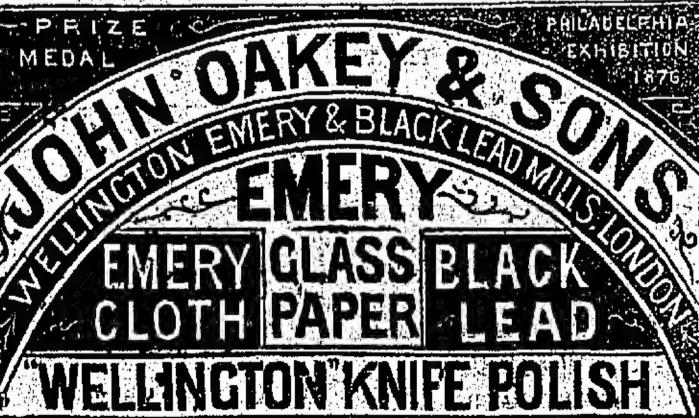
Manufactured only at [8, New Oxford Street, London. Sold by all Medicine Dealers.

## THAT where Enc's 'Fruit Salt' has been taken in the carliest stages

of a disease it has in innumerable instances prevented a serious Illness. The effect of

upon any disordered, alcopless, or feverish condition is simply marvellous and unsurpassed. In fact it

GAUTION .- Examine the Copsule and see that it is marked ENGS' FEUIT SALT! otherwise you have the sincerest form of flattery-IMITATION. Prepared only by J. C. ENO, Ltd., PRUIT BALT WORKS, London, S.H. Eng. by J. C. ENO'S Patent. Sold by Chemists and Stores everywhere.



JOHN OAKEY & SONS, LIMITED "WELLINGTON" MILLS LOND ON.

RICH BACHELOR AS PRIZE

How Fifteen Ladies Tricked Him.

Mr Charles W. Haynes, a rich and eccentric bachelor, of the little town of Claton, near Atlants, U. S. A., has set the fashion of selecting a wife by competitive examination. Fifteen marriageable ladies of the locality compated.

They assembled in the schoolhouse on November 0, when an examining board, consisting of library trustees and a local editor, put a series of questions, to be answered both in writing and viva voce, framed by Mr Haynes for the purpose of testing the competitors' suitability and qualifications for his wife. They were awarded marks for correct answers, and she who gained the highest aggregate was declared the winner. Mr Haynes has long been regarded as a de

2215 sirable parti, but professed a number of old bachelor notions about women which made him a difficult subject. He publicly lamented that girls at present do not make such good wives and do not

merit or receive the same love and devotion as their mothers and grandmothers did because they are lacking in housewifely 2123 qualifications. If a woman were skilled in the condu

of a house, the control of servants, the proper dispensation of hospitality and observance of social duties, above all in aubmission to her bushand, if in a word, she was a perfect housewife, then, and only then, was she loveable. He declared that if he could find such a perfect woman he would marry her first, with full assurance that love would follow.

QUESTIONS FOR BRIDES. Whether he intended it or not, this declaration was taken literally, and Mr. Haynes found himself committed to accepting the result of the competitive examination. There were four widows among the 15 contestants assembled, and the questions to be answered on paper included:-

Name seven kinds of pie and describe how each is best prepared. Sould dinner be served at midday or in

the evening? Do you advocate the use of chewing-rings for teething children?

Tell the different between "self-raising" and yeast bread. Say how each is prepared. Describe a suitable emergency lunch in case your husband unexpectedly brought home three male guests. Give in 100 words your views on suitable

dress when married. Give a list of half a dozen names, male

Mr Haynes professed the utmost uncon- Corrs, between the hours of 10 A.M. and cern as to which of the 15 would obtain the that secretly the 15, before being examined, | noticed unless delivered upon the proper had entered in a solemn compact that, form at the Head Quarter (ffice by 12 whoever won, she should decline his hand o'clock Noon on the above date, in a closed when he proposed—this by way of demon- side. strating that one of the qualifications of a wife which the lordly bachelor overlooked reserved. was the woman's consent.

DECLINED. Miss May Ta'um was declared to be the winner, being many marks shead. She confesses to 43, is tall and angular, and is not considered a beauty. But Mr Haynes, steadfast to his word, wir to requesting an interview, called, and formally proposed.

Somewhat to the general surprise Miss Totum held to the compact. Mr Baynes approached the proxime accessit, Miss Rouse, who is 23, pretty, plump, and dis-

#### THE DIRECTORY

(PUBLISHED ANNUALLY). INABLES enterprising traders through-out the Empire to keep in close touch with the trade of the Motherland. Besidesbeing a complete commercial guide to London and its Suburbs, the Directory contains lists of :-EXPORT MERCHANTS

and Foreign markets they supply; STEAMSHIP LINES and indicating the approximate sailings;

with the Goods they ship, and the Colonial

PROVINCIAL APPENDIX of Trade Notices of leading Manufacturer Merchants etc., in the principal provincial towns and industrial centries of the United A copy of the current edition will be night.

forwarded, freight paid, on receipt of Post Office Order for TWENTY SHILLINGS. THE LONDON DIRECTORY Co., Ltd., 25, ABCHURCH LANE, LONDON, E.C., ENGLAND.

EOTHEN MARK LODGE-No. 264.

REGULAR MEETING of the A EOTHEN MARK LODGE will be held at the FREEMASONS HALL, on TUESDAY, the 29th January, at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited to attend ... Hongkong, January 24, 1917.

ZETLAND

No. 525, E.O.

REGULAR MEETING of ZETLAND A LODGE will be held at the BREE. MHE Undersigned has received instruc-MASON'S HALL, on FRIDAY, the 1st February, at 8.30 for 8 P.M. precisely.

Visiting Brothren are cordially invited to sttend. Hongkong, January 24, 1967.

TR L. A. DE GRACA has discovered IV New Method which enables him to teach the Mandoline or Banjo in six months. Also gives Lossons on Violin and Guitar. Terms moderate. Address 53,

TUITION.

ELGIN STREET Hongkong, October 29, 1906. Intimations.

(MITSU BISHI CO.) COAL DEPARTMENT MARUNO-UCHI, TOKIO.

CABLE ADDRESS: 'IWASAKI.' Which applies to all Branch Offices. A B C 5th Edition, Western Union Codes used.

All Letters Addressed :-MANAGER, MITSU BISHI CO., with name of place under. BRANUH OFFICES:-NAGASAKI, MOJI, KOBE, KABATSU, SHANGHAI, HONGEONG AND HANKOW.

AGENCIES: YOKOHAMA: M. ASADA, Esq. OHINKIANG: Mesers GEARING & Co MANILA: Mesera MACONDRAY & Co.

SOLE PROPRIETORS of Takasima, Ochi, Shipnew, Namazuta and Kami-Yamada Collieries and also Hojo Colliery, which will shortly be ready to produce on a large scale the best Buzen Cosl. The Head and Branch Offices and the Agencies of the Company will receive any order for Coals produced from the above

T. MATSUKI, Manager, Hongkong, No. 2, Pedden Street. Hongkong, April 25, 1906. 1816



WAR DEPARTMENT CONTRACTS

THENDERS will be received at the HEAD QUARTER OFFICE Flotober Street, until 12 o'c'ock Noon, on FRIDAY, the inch of February, 1907, for the under-mentioned Surrices and Services, for the period of 12 months from 1st April, 1907:-

1. MEATS. 2. HOSPITA HOSPITAL SUPPLIES and MEDICAL COMPORTS.

GENERAL SUPPLIES and PROVISIONS. On! Wick and Barnack Supplies. COAL, COKE, WOOD and CHARGOAL, BARRACE SERVICES and SCAVENGING. WASHING. TRANSPORT SERVICES (Supply of

Launches, Junks, Coolies, etc.) 9. FORAGE. Forms of Tender and any particulars cap he obtained on application to this Office. and female, which you think suitable for personally or by letter, addressed to the OFFICER COMMANDING ARMY SERVICE

highest marks. He was, however, unaware signed and dated, and no tender will be envelope marked 'TENDER' on the out-

> HEAD QUARTERS OFFICES, Honekong. Hongkong, January 25, 1967.



CANTON DISTRICT. LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS.

No. 79. SUNKEN JUNK IN STEAMER PASSAGE IRON BARRIER.

TOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a STONE LADER JUNK lies sunk in the arranged under the Ports to which they sail, steamer . passage Iron Barrier Collinson Roach. The least depth of water over the wreck at low water of Spring tides is 15 feet. A boat has been moored to mark the

position, on which a Red Flag will be holsted by day and a Red Light exhibited at WARE. J. HOWELL MAY, Harbour Master.

F. J. MAYERS. Acting Commissioner of Oustoms. Custom House. Canton, January 21, 1907.

THE REVENUE OF CHINA!

SERIES OF ARTICLES. Reprinted from The China Mail. WITH AN APPENDIR

To be had at the OFFICE OF THIS PAPPE. 5, WYDDEAM STREET. Price 50 Cente

Auctions.

tions to Sell by Public Auction.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THURSDAY. 158 the Slat January, 1907, at II A.M., at Messrs Harris Kransy Co., LD.'s Store. in Peddar Street (opposite Hongkong

WITHOUT RESERVE. About 100 Pieces of their Well-known LINEN FIBRE and RATTAN FURNI-TURE, and a few pleces of HARDWOOD FURNITURE:

TERMS :- Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT. Hongkong, January 25, 1907.

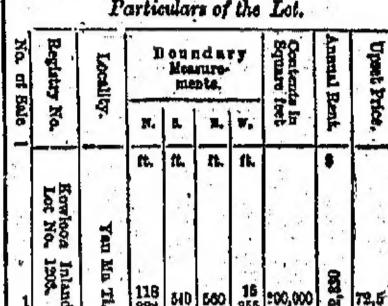
### Auctions.



PUBLIC AUCTION

Particulars and Conditions of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 28th day of January. 1907, at 3 P.M., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government of One Lot of CROWN LAND, at Yau Ma Ti in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 years, with option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Survoyor of His Majesty the Kino, for one further term of 75 years.

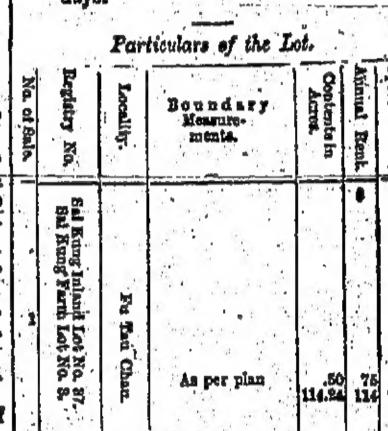
Particulars of the Lot.





PUBLIC AUCTION Particulars and Conditions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 28th day of January, 1907, at 3 P.M., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government of Two Lots of CROWN LAND at Fu Tau Chau in the Colony of Hongkong, for

a term of 75 years, from 1st July, 1898, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the King, for one further term of 24 years less three



PUBLIC AUCTION.

JHE Undersigned have received instructions from M. Gaston Libert, Esq., to Sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY

the 29th January, 1907, at 2.30 P.M., within his Residence No. 10. MACDONNELL ROAD, -THE WHOLE OF HIS

The right to reject any or all Tenders is VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. THEREIN CONTAINED,-

Comprising:—
TAPESTRY-COVERED DRAWING ROOMSUITS, TEARWOOD EXTENSION DINING TABLE and CHAIRS, DINNER WAGGONS, TEAKWOOD SIDEBOARD with BEVELLED GLASS, MARBLE-TOP MOTHER-OF-PEARL INLAND BLACKWOOD SIDE TABLE, BEACKWOOD FLOWER STANDS, BOOKCASES, Chest of Drawers, Brass-MOUNTED DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BED-STEADS and BEDDING, WASHSTANDS, OVER-MANTELS, GLASS and CROCKERY WARE, &c . &c., &c.;

A Quantity of Parais in Pors. On View from the 26th inst., at Noon. TERMS (—As usual HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

Hongkong, January 21, 1967. PUBLIC AUGTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-tions to Sell by Public Auction.

TUESDAY the 29th January, 1907, commencing at-2.45 P.M., at Mawhers House. No. 4, Monnison Hill Road, -A QUANTITY OF

FURNITURE (Particulars from Catalogue). One Cortage Plano by Meyer,

ALUABLE HOUSEHOLD

A Few Pieces CANTON BLACKWOOD-Tarans :- As Customary: On view from Monday, the 28th Jan.,

GEO. P. LAMMERT. Hongkong, January 24, 1907. PUBLIC AUCTION.

tions to sell by Public Auction. ОП WEDNESDAY the 30th January, 1907, commencing at 2.45 P.M., at No. 5, RIPON JERRACE.

THE Undereigned has received instruc-

Bonham Road,-A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

(Particulars from Catalogue). TERMS :- As Unstoniary. On View from Tuesday, the 29th Jan.,

GEO. P. LAMMERT. Hongkong, January 24, 1907. 161-



#### For Sale.

A BARGAIN.

LIOR SALE-A SMALL LAUNCH. About 35 feet long. Just thoroughly overhauled. 8 or 4 years old. Price... ... ... \$1,750. Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office. Hongkong, January 23, 1907.

FOR BALE.

DRICK and STONE BUNGALOW, at D the PRAK, called THE HAYSTACK' with about 2 Acres of Ground attached. Built on Farm Lots Nos. 60 & 61. For Particulars, apply to D. K. MOSS, Care of ALEX. Ross & Co., 4. Des Vœux Road Central.

Bongkong, January 15, 1907.

TO LET.

To Let.

IMMEDIATELY the capacious premises on the GROUNG FLOOR of No. 2. PEDDER STREET, at present occupied | by Mesers HARBIS KRENEY Co., LTD. GILMAN & CO. Apply to Hongkong, January 23, 1907.

TO LET.

OUR Large, Well-Lighted PREMISES in WYNDHAM STREET; Store can be let separately; moderate rental; excellent situation and immediate possession, MANAGER, SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO.,

1 A, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, January 24, 1907.

TO LET.

TIOUSE No. 2, ROSE TERRACE, Robinson Road, Kowlcon. Possession from 1st February, 1987. Terms moderats. Apply to THE COMPRADORE, Mesers BARRETTO & Co. Hougkong, January 28, 1907.

TO LET.

No. 1. CARNARVON RD., Kowloop, T. UHEE, Apply to

P. O. Box 137. Hongkong, January 17, 1907.

TO LET ON LEASE.

FROM 1ST JANUARY, 1907. NTOS. 6, 8, 10, 12 and 14, HOLLY-WOOD ROAD. Nos. 1 2, 3, 4 and 5, SUN WAI LANE,

APPIN to ARRATOON V. APCAR & CO., 45. Wyndham Street. Hougkong, October 24, 1906.

TO LET.

HOUSE in KNUTSFORD TER-RACE, KOWLOON. THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. WYNDHAM STREET. MENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Hongkong, August 1, 1906.

TO LET.

TWO FOUR-ROOMED HOUSES, PRAYA EAST, near East Point. Apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & CO. Hongkong, January 3, 1906.

TO LET-FURNISHED.

NTO. 5, MACDONNELL RUAD; from 15th April next. Apply to M. S. NORTHCOTE, c/o The Hongkong Land Investment AND AGENCY Co., LD. Hongkong January 12, 1907.

TO LET.

THE Premises known as No. 199, WANCHAI ROAD, now occupied by Mosses MacDonald & Co's Engineering Works. Possession, 1st February, 1907. Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., LD.

TO LET.

Hongkong, January 4, 1907.

FROM IST DECEMBER, 1906. TALTA, MOUNT KELLET, PEAK.

HARRY WICKING & CO., St George s Buildings. Hongkong, November 3, 1906.

TO LET.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. NTO. 4. MOSQUE JUNOTION. Rent

LOWE & BINGHAM, St. George's Buildings. Hongkong, December 22, 1906.

TO LET-AT THE PEAK.

rental to good tenant. SMALL BUNGALOW containing one Large Room, DRESSING-ROOM. BATH-ROOM, KITCHEN and SERVANTS February. QUARTERS. Close to Tram Station.

Apply to Care of 'CHINA MARE" Office. Hongkong, January 4, 1907.

TO LET.

OND FLOOR, No. 12, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. GREEN OROFT, GARDEN ROAD, KOW-

LEIGH & ORANGE, 1. Des Youx Road. Hongkong, January 9, 1907.

TO LET.

NTO. 1. WEST END TERRACE, SHA-MEEN, CANTON. Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., LD. Hongkong, December 10, 1908.

## MEXICAN

ARE YOU A DISCERNING SMOKER 1



SOLE IMPORTER:

THE HOLLAND-CHINA TRADING COY., HONOKONG, SHANGHAI and TIENTSIN.

FOR SALE AT ALL THE PRINCIPAL CIGAR DEALERS;

### HOTEL. KYOTO, JAPAN.

AND STRICTLY FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

The Universal Remedy for Acidity of the Stomach, Hendache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Eructations, Bilious Affections

The Physician's . Rhoumatic Gout and Gravel. Balest and most

Effective Aperion



Regular Use.

To Let.

TO LET.

BEACONSFIELD ARGADE, Fine Shops, Offices, and Dwelling Rooms, 15, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Top Floor (over Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co.) on Front Part, Top Floor (over Achee's BELILIOS TERRACE HOUSES, Ro-

18 BINSON ROAD. No. 4, CONDUIT ROAD. GLENWOOD, CAINE ROAD, suitable for a Boarding House or Club.

TO LET OR FOR SALE. New House on MOUNT KELLET 5 ROOMS, on Rural Building Lot No. 117.

LINSTEAD & DAVIS. .

3rd Floor, Alexandra Buildings. Hongkeng, January 2, 1907.

TO LET.

FULLY FURNISHED-FROM APRIL 15TH. A LTEDENA. - BARKER ROAD, the Peak. Seven Rooms, with ample Bath and

Dry Rooms. J. S. VAN BUREN, clo Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Hongkong, January 3, 1907.

TO TET.

HOUSE in WONG NEI CHONG A. ROAD. OFFICES in KING'S BUILDING and YORK BUILDING. GODOWNS on PRAYA EAST. A HOUSE in CLIFTON GARDENS,

Conduit Road. A HOUSE in RIPON TERRACE. FLATS in MORETON TERRACE. RANFURLY, CONDUIT ROAD

Apply to THE HONGKUNG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENOY Co., LTD. Hongkong, December 11, 1906.

TO BE LET-FURNISHED.

ROM the 2nd week in April next 'IAN MOR, PEAK ROAD, Six T good Rooms, 3. Bath Rooms, Deying and Store Rooms, grass tennis court. Moderate No. 6. EAST AVENUE, Kowloon, 4-Roomed House, possession from 1st

HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE CO., LD. Hongkong, January 18, 1906.

TO LET

ATO, 4, The ALBANY, fully Furnished with possession from 1st March next, 'NORMAN COTTAGE,' West, Pean Road, 5 ROOMS, fully furnished, 2 Bath rooms. Possession from 1st December. 25 1908. Low Rent. HARPERVILLE, GARDEN ROAD. Rooms with Tennis Court and detached

Servants' Quarters. Possession from 1st Jan., 1907. PEROY SMITH & SETH Accountants, Auditors, &c., 6. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. Hongkong, January 18, 1906.

To Let. TO LET-FURNISHED.

FROM 15TH APRIL. ATO. 5, LYEEMOON VILLAS, Kowloon. Facing Lyesmoon Pass. Electric Light and a Telephone.

Apply to Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office, Hongkong, January 10, 1967.

TO LET-(WELL FURNISHED). BIRNAM BRAE, CONDUIT ROAD.

FIGHT-roomed House-Billiard Room, with full-size Table, 3 Bath-rooms, Drying Room, Store room and Pantry-Good Tennis Lawn, Electric Light and Bells, and a Telephone, For 6 or 9 months, from 1st April. 'G. M. B., Apply to

Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office. Hongkong, January 4, 1907.

TO LET.

(ETTHER IN WHOLE OR IN PART).

THE GROVE, having 20 Rooms, with detached out-houses and kitchens, situated in ROBINSON ROAD, Kowloon. Well ventilated, with Electric Lights and Bella completely installed. Apply to

E. M. HAZELAND, . 35, Qucen's Road Central; WING ON, Contractor, 34, D'Aguilar Street, Hongkong, January 10, 1907.

BANK-BUILDINGS. Hongkong, May 18, 1908

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTIL

INSURANCE COMPANY. MOTAL FONDS AT SIST DECEMBER, 1905, £17,837,119. I-Authorised Capital £3,000,000 Subscribed Capital £2,750.000 Paid-up Capital ..... £687,500

II-Fire Funds .....

III-Life & Annuity Funds 13,762,898 Revenue Fire Branch ... 2,061,044 19 8 Life & Annuity 1,713,808 19 10 Branches

3,386,720.19

£3,774,853 19...6 The Accumulated Funds of the Fire and Life Departments are free from liability in respect of each other. SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., Agents

tingthe " possible." Blie declined emphy-

Mr Haynes, realising that a practical joke was being played on him, and that he was in danger of becoming the laughing stock of the locality, extricated himself by a master stroke a few hours after Miss. Rouse's refusal. Calling the examining board, he announced his engagement to Mrs Belle Brandr, a pretty young widow, and the only eligible lady in the town who declined to enter the competition.

The competitors, especially the winner, accuse Mr Haynes of insincerity, and reproach Mrs Brandt with not playing fair.

GUNNERY TRIALS.

The China Squadron Sixth.

The China Squadron took sixth place for gunnery in the fleet. Very appropriately. the "King Alfred," flagship, stands at the head of the squadron, and 14th in the fleet with the respectable score of 102.77; that is, ten hits out of eleven rounds from her two 9.2 inch guns, and 110 hits out of 130 rounds from her 6-inch suns. The best shot was Able Seaman H. Carter.

The "Kent" comes second with 75 hits out of 93 rounds, miving a score of 95.75 with her 6-inch duns, her best shot being First Class Petry Officer W. Bell.

The "Diadem" was in the third place, with 82.06 points, accounting for 88 hits out of 108 rounds, her best gunlayer being Able Seaman A. Smith.

The "Andromeda" fell off to 77.4 points, her score being 83 hits out of 109. ahots. The best shot aboard her was Private R. W. Windsor, Royal Marine Light In-

The "Flora" stands fifth in the list with 64.60 points to her credit, made up of six hits in eight rounds from her 6 in. gune, and 42 hits out of 83 rounds from her 4.7 guns. In the first, Private Gershon, Royal Marine Light Infantry, made the best shooting, and in the second, Abla Seamen Burnett made the best score.

The "Monmouth" occupies the foot of the list with the indifferent score of 60.00 points, made up of 47 hits out of 83 rounds from her 6 in. wespons. In all, 603 shots were fired and 461 hits registered, which works out at an average for the squadron of 82-228.

This is a great improvement from last year, when the average for 14 ships was only 65.05, and in addition the squadron has risen from the seventh to the sixth place for straight shooting. Yet that is a good bit from the head of the list, where we hope to see it next year.

A SAFE REMEDY

FOR ALL SKIN AND BLOOD DISEASES

If you suffer from any disease due to an im-ARISING, you should test the value of Clarke's Blood Mixture, the world-famed Blood Purified and Restorer. This medicine has 40 years reputation, and is to-day more popular the ever, the reason of this being undoubtedly because this wonderful romedy does what it professes to do-ir cours sein AND BLOOD DISTAGES PERMANENTLY.

## Clarke's Blood Mixture

IS THE FINEST BLOOD PURIFIEL EVER DISCOVERED.

It is warranted to cleanse the blood from all impurities, from whatever cause arising. For BAD LEGS,

SCROFULA, SCURVY. ECZEMA. BLOOD POISON, ULCERS. SKIN & BLOOD

BLOTCHES, SPOTS, BLACKHEADS, PIMPLES, and SORES OF ALL DISEASES. - KINDS. It is a safe and Permanent Remedy.

It is the only real specific for Gout and Rheumatic Pains, for it removes the cause from the Blood and Bones. NOTE. This mixture is pleasant to the tast AND WARRANTED PREE PROM AN THING

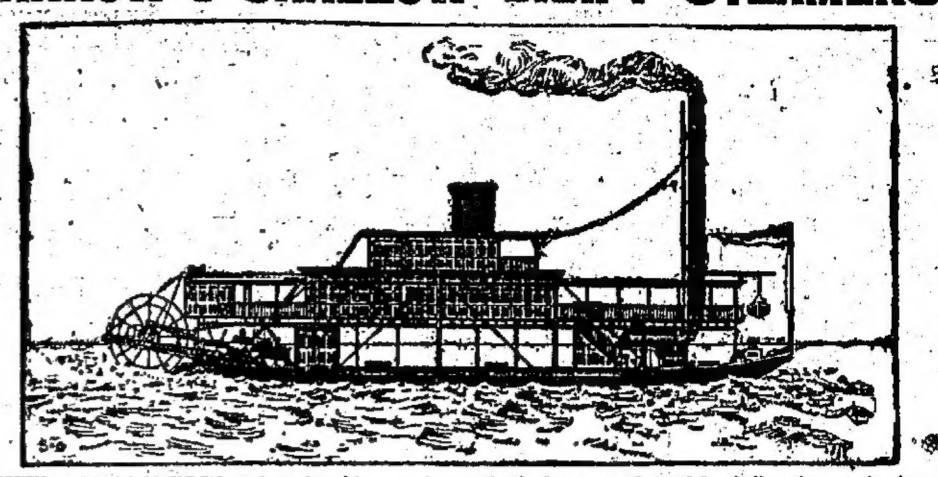
of either sex, from infancy to old age, and the Proprietors solicit sufferers to give it a trial to test its value. Thousands of wonderful cures have bes effected by it. Every Comfort and Convenience for Res TRIED MANY THINGS WITHOUT

BENEFIT UNTIL I TOOK CLARKE'S BLOOD MIXTURE. Mr F. E. Lewis, 48, Bridge Street Roy Chester, writes :- Just a line in favour of Clarke's Blood Mixture." I had sezome for seven months, and tried many things without benefit until I took your remedy. After the sighth bottle I was quite well again. Please secont this letter as a token of gratitude to your wonderful "Clarke's Blood Mixture." - June

IMPURITUES IN THE BLOOD,- We have seen hosts of letters from all sovis and conditions of people, in which the writers acknowledge the benefit they have received from Clarke's Rlood Mixture, which as a curative agent cannot be too highly estimated, since it cleauses and clears the blood from all impurities, and restores it to its normal condition. This is a good testimonial from the Family Doctor, the popular medical weekly, which goes on firther to save It is obstainly the flust blood purifier that science and skill have brought to light, and we. can with the utmost confidence recommend it to. our subscribers and public generally."

Sold by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors throughout the World.

YARROW'S SHALLOW DRAFT STEAMERS.



STERNWHERL STEAMERS have been found by experience to be the best type of vessel for shallow river navigation under many conditions of working, and of these Messrs. Yannow have built a very large number of successful examples for all parts of the world.

Vessels on this system are constructed when required, to draw as little as 10 inches. The construction of shallow river vessels propelled on various systems has been made the speciality of Messra. YABROW & Co., LAD.

Por particulars apply to YARBOW & CO., LTD., Shipbuilders, POPLAR, LONDON.

CROSSE AND By Special BLACKWELL. Warrant LTD. Purveyors to

GELEBRATED . Worcestershire

**CILMEN'S STORES** PICKLES, SOUPS, JAMS, JELLIES, POTTED MEATS. MALT VINEGAR AGENTS FOR LEA & PERRIN'S

Sauce

ASTHMA.

BRONGHITIS.

J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE

THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.)

COLDS, COUGHS,

CHLORODYNE CHLORODYNE CHLORODYNE

M.M. The KING

CHLORODYNE CHLORODYNE

is the bost remedy known for Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Bronchitis,

acts like a charm in Diarrhosa, and is the only specific in Cholera, and effectually cuts short all attacks of Epilepsy, Hysteria, Palpitation and Spasms.

is the only palliative in Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Cancer, Toothache. Meningitis, &c.

admitted by the profession to be the most wonderful and valuable remedy even

Always ask for 'Dr J. Collis Browne's Chichodyne, and beware of spurious compounds or mitations. The genuine bears the words 'Dr J. Collis Browne's Chronodyne on the Government Stamp of each bottle.

1388

Sold in Bottles-Prices in England, 1/11, 2/9, and 4/6 each. (Overwhelming Medical Testimony accompanies each bottle.)

Hotels.

KING EDWARD

HOTEL.

A HIGH-CLASS PRIVATE HOTEL. Ladica Afternoon Tea Booms. Private Bar and Billfard Rooms.

Hot and Cold Water throughout. Electrically Lighted. Electric Fans (if required). Sleetric Passenger Elevator to each Floor US.A. Cable D'Hote at Separate Tables.

PRESERVAPHIC ADDRESS:

VICTORIA, Hongkong For torms, do., apply to the MANAGER.

HOTEL, VICTORIA SHAMEEN, CANTON. ON THE BRITISH CONCESSION. MACAO HOTEL

MACAO, CHINA In the Centre of Praya Grand. DOTH Hotels under Experienced European Management.

denta and Tourlats.

WM. FARMER, Proprietor THE BEST BILLIARD TABLES IN THE COLORY ARE AT THE KOWLOON HOTEL

UABLE ADDRESS CHEF

KOWLOUN. High-class Tourist's Hotel under Am rican Management First-class Culsine, Beautiful Garden. MODERATE CHARGES. J. W. OSBORNE. Proprietor and Manager.

> SIR ROBERT HART'S MEMORANDUM. Series of Articles on Sir Robert

A HABE'S SCHEMES for the Improve-Reprinted from the Uhina Mail. To be had in pamphlet form at this Office, o, Wyndham Street. Paror 50 Cents.

Sole Manufacturers :- J. T. DAVENPORT, Limited, LONDON.

Dentistry.

DR. HARRY FONG. AMERICAN TRAINED DENTIST.

LECTRICAL and Latest Improved Appliances.
51. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Dr M. H. CHAUN, ITHE Latest Method of the AMERICAN SYSTEM of DENTISTRY. 37. DES VŒUX ROAD CENTRAL.

From the University of Pennsylvania,

TING. CIEN Burgeon Dentist, No. 14, D'AGUILAR STREET.

TTONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL TRAM-WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED,

TERMS VERY MODERATE

Consultation Free.

(IN LIQUIDATION) TIME TABLE,

WEER DAYS. 2.00 s.m. to 7.30 s.m.... Every 30 minutes 7,80 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every 10 minutes. 9,80 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 15 minutes. 11,30 a.m. to 12.45 p.m. Every 15 minutes, 12,45 r.m. to 1.15 p.m. Every 10 minutes, 1.15 p.m. to 1.45 p.m. Kvery 15 minutes. 1.45 p.m. to 2.16 p.m. Every 10 minutes, 2.15 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. Rvery 15 minutes. 3.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes.

5.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every 10 minutes, 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m., 9.45 p.m. to 11.16 p.m. every half hour.

SUNDAYS. 8.00 a.m. to 9.00 a.m... Every 15 minutes. 9.00 a.m. to 9.30 a.m. Every 30 minutes, 9.30 a.m. to 10.80 a.m. Every 15 minutes 10.80 a.m. to 11.00 a.m. Every 10 minutes. 12.00 Noon to 1.00 p.m... Every 10 minutes. 1.00 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. .. Every 15 minutes 5.00 p.m. to 6.00 p.m... Every 10 minute. 6.00 p.m. to 7.00 p.m. Every 15 minutes. 7.00 p.m. to 8.00 p.m... Every 10 minutes,

NIGHT CARS as on Week Days, SATURDATE. Extra Cars at 11.30 and 11.45 p.m. SPECIAL CARS by Arrangement at the Company's Office, ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS Dee Voeux Road Central.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SOR. Liquidators. Hongkong, August 27, 1908

The Life of Trade.

one-rime order, like one blow of the hammer on the head of the nail, makes an impression, but it is only the continpons insertion of the advertisement. like the continuous pounding on the head of the nail, that drives the argument home and clinches it.

The BEST Mediums for Advertising are

> THE CHINA MAIL,

"OVERLAND

CHINA MAIL, AND THE

"HONGKONG WEEKLY.

Read by all Classes in the Colony, Established over Half- Century

BOTTLED BY THE CLIFFORD-WILKINSON,

Tansan Mineral Water Co., Ltd, KOBE

THE FAVOURITE MINERAL WATER.

Per Case of 48 Pints ..... Por Dor so Pinta..... Par Case of 100 Splita..... Per Dozen Splits .....

Experts Testify That

MAKES THE MOST WHOLESOME AND PALATABLE

GINGER ALE

IN THE WORLD.

PER DOZEN PINTS ...... 1.95 PER CASE 50 SPLITS ..... 5.25 PER DOZEN SPLITS .. ...... 1 30 SAMPLES ON APPLICATION

5% DISCOUNT ALLOWED CENTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

SOLE AGENTS:

H. PRICE & CO.

Wine and Spirit Merchants, 14. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

## POWELL'S

ALEXANDRA- - -BUILDINGS.

Exclusive

**Novelties** 

PRINTED VOILES

Evening Gowns.

DAINTY AND INEXPENSIVE.

Wm. POWELL, Ld., THE WELDON HOUSE, OUTFITTERS HONGKONG.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. CLARKE. Son & Platt, 85 Gracechurch 8t. STREET & Co., Ltd., 80, Corn-Gondon & Gorde, 16 St. Bride HATS remodelled and made to Order. St., E.C. BATES, HENDY & Co., 81, Connon Street, E.C. WILLS, Ltd. 161 INSPECTION CORDIALLY INVITED. Connon Street, E.C. ROBERT WATSON, 150. Fleet Street. C. MITCHELL & Co., Snow Hat, Holborn Viaduct, E.C. D. J. KEYMER & Co., 1, Whitefriars St., E.O. MATHER & CROWTHER, 10, 11, 12 New Bridge St., E.C. MITTON & Co. 22 Glashous St.,

Regent St., W. PARIS AND EUROPE :- MAYEROB, FAVRE & Co., 18 Rue de la Grange Bateliere, Paris. The Rev. Dr. HART. D.C.L., 12 Rue Vivienne, Paris.

NEW YORK:-THE CHINESE EVANCELS OFFICE, 52, West 22nd Street. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally : -Bran & Black, San Fran

USTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW CHINA ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTON, Melbourne and Bydney.

OBYLON :- W. M. SINTH & Co., THE BEFORE GOING HOME. APOTHECARIES Co., Colombo.

## S. MOUTRIE & Co.,

LIMITED.

COSTUMES

FOR

RACES.

THE SAVOY, Ltd.

CHS. J.

WATCHMAKERS,

ENGLISH

DIAMONDS,

EMERALDS,

JEWELLERS and

Alexandra Buildings, Chater Rd.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED A SPEENDED

SELECTION OF

HIGH-CLASS

GOLD & SILVER WARE.

HIGH GRADE ENGLISH & SWISS

GOLD & SILVER WATORES.

CLOCKS & OPTIOAL GOODS

suitable for

WEDDING PRESENTS.

All goods marked at present RATE of

EXCHANGE; old stock reduced in price

LIMITED.

JUST RECEIVED

NEW DRESS GOODS,

MATERIALS Suitable for EVENING

WEAR, INFANTS' HOODS, BOOTS,

and a New Assortment of RIBBONS, etc.

Every Convenience in the

DRESSMAKING DRPARTMENT.

10, D'AGUILAR STREET,

HONGKONG.

TO ORDER THE

Hongkong, January 23, 1907.

and SHOES, WINDOW CURTAINS, &

Hongkong, December 5, 1906,

OPTICIANS,

**JEWELLERY** 

RUBIES, AND SAPPHIRES.

PIANO PLAYER

LATEST CREATION ORCHESTRELLE CO.

This perfect Model of Mechanical Genius can be heard at our Show Rooms daily.

Price \$425

New Pianos for Hire, \$10 per month, regular Tuning and attention inclusive.

Tuning and Repairing a Speciality.

S. MOUTRIE & Co., LD. YORK BUILDINGS, CHATER ROAD. Hongkong, January 17, 1907.



WATSON

& Co., Ltd.

13, QUEEN'S ROAD, WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS.

HONGKONG. ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

VERY OLD LIQUEUR



SCOTCH

WHISKY.

The Leading Whisky

THROUGHOUT THE EAST

FOR OVER

\$15.00...Per Case.

LIMITED.

ALEXANDRA BUILDINGS.

Hongkoug, January 22, 1906.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corpora- advertisement is the lifeblood of their

Hoses. -On Friday, 25th January, 1907, circulation. The argument seems at Patell Villas, Kowloon, ALICE MURIEL, (Moo) the youngest and dearly loved child pintiante not it breaks down of Will and Nellie Hobbs, in her sixth year, simple point. Soap, in the aggregate, allies.

plausible but it breaks down on

seeds no advertisement, but the indi-

vidual product, say Leavim's Ounce-

light Soap does, and Leavim would

soon see his business windering into

other channels if he ceased to adver-

offered over the advantages shared

of eager readers at the moment o

publication, a rush that slackens in a

fortnight and is extinct in a month.

publisher a dozen copies since he

knows that nine-tenths of The Times'

thousand copies will be on the market

at half price in a month's time. There

is a third party, the author, and hitherto

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Miscellaneous. 10 a.m. - A Race for Cruisers held by Royal Hongkong Yacht Club.

MUMOS. EER MONDAY. Miscellaneous. 9.30 a.m. - Military Cun Practice. Goods per Saxonia undelivered after this

Meetings. 11.30 a.m. - Meeting of The West Point Building Co., Ld., at Co.'s Offices. Noon-Meeting of Hongkong Land In vestment & Agency Co., Ld., at Co.'s literature of the day, there is a rush

Auction. 3 p.m .- Auction of Crown Lands at the Public Works Department's Offices.

General Memoranda.

TURNDAY, January 29: 4Noon-Meeting of Hongkong Benevolent
Society at City Hall, 2.30 p.m .- Auction of Household Furni. ture, &c., at M. G. Liebert's residence No. 10, MacDonnell Road. 2.45 p.m.—Auction of Household Furni-

ture, &c., at ' Mawhers House,' No. 4, Morrison Hill Road 9 p.m.—Meeting of Eothen Mark Lodge. Goods per Benvorlich undelivered after copies reaches him. The Times prefers this date subject to rent.

Goods per Tourane unclaimed after this date at Noon will be subject to rent to cope adequately with the first rush, and then sell off a few weeks later the and landing charges. Goods per Austria undelivered after this huge surplus that marks the difference date subject to rent.

WEDNESDAY, January 30 :- -11 a.m. - Auction of Linen Fibre, Rattan Furniture, &co., at Mesars Harris-Keeney Co.'s Store, Peddar Street. 2.45 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture, at No. 5, Ripon Torrace, Bon- his whelves. He sulks (justifiably Register of Shares of The Kowloon Land

enough) and refuses to take from the & Building Co., Ld., close from this date to 4th Feb. inclusive.
Goods per Devanha not cleared at 4 p.m. on this date subject to rent.

FRIDAY, February 1 :-9 p.m .- Meeting of Zetland Lodge.

Monday, February 4:—
Noon—Meeting of Kowloon Land and
Building Co., Ld., at Co.'s Office.

The China Mail.

HONGRONG, SATURDAY, JANUARY 26, 1907.

THE BOOK WAR.

to prove that authors are systematically plundered by their publishers, and that Tue methods adopted by the two anthe more eminent of them might multagonists in the Book Club War have tiply their sales vastly by utilising the not been very creditable to either party. services of the Book Club. But how The matter having been forced into would it be with the rank and file of the public gaze, the public would like from the parties a definite and succinct has been proved to push forward the statement of the real points in dispute. sale of some books and to pull back The Times has repeated daily for the the sales of others and 'this process of last few months, -"The only question pushing and pulling may lead to inat issue between The Times and the creased sales for known authors whom Publishers is as to whether the Book The Times runs no risk in booming. Club shall or shall not be allowed to sell but would be to the disadvantage of second-hand net books before they are the struggling beginner. Let us assix months old." Of course the question sume that The Times and the publisis not really so simple as that. If it had been, we should have seen it settexploit the poor author for their own led long ago. The Times has been aggrandisment, that the author is only hit hard, as practically no publisher asked, like the proverbial cel, which has advertised in it for four months, sauce he prefers to be cooked with. the publishers have suffered, with the The ultimate result lies in the hands of authors, since an advertisement in the public. If they are willing to read The Times is essential to the success The Times only for its excellent editorof a serious work: (In fact, Sir Frank) ial and news service, turning to other Swettenham felt this so keenly that papers for book advertisements, they he turned his back on his publisher will be inconvenienced for a time. and advertised "British Malaya" on the other hand, they are content to The Times at his own cost, making his have their consumption of literature own arrangement to supply the Book dictated and limited by Mr Moberley Club with copies). The general pub-Bell, there will still be temporary in lie are restricted in their book buying, an important matter at the Christmas depend on the bookbuyers and when season, and the eighty thousand mem bers of the Book Club are hitting and cheaper and literature more widely being hit, lying between anvil and hammer, as a Latin's proverb has it. made on elther side. The Times says that it is the publishers The Transactions of the Asiatic Association and not the Book Club, Society of Japan are invariably interwhich is trying to set up a Trust or monopoly. If so, why do we see the esting and instructive. Dr N. Gordon whole of the Press on the side of the Munro, M. B. and C. M., Edin., publishers? The Press spoke out with responsible for a paper on "Primitive Culture in Japan" which occupies the startling unanimity and distinctness whole of the December number of the when it was a matter of crushing the Transactions. With becoming modesty nine-days' Soap Trust. It is not poss- Dr Monro does not claim to have ible to believe that their sordid reason produced an exhaustive treatise on the was that one of the objects of the purpose being merely to submit a coher-Soap Trust was to reduce expenditure on advertising, while the present

contest will merely divert such expend-

iture from The Times to its rivals.

Soap, as a necessity, can sell itself with-

little difference to the consumption of a large number of important plates. Watter.—By cable, from London, 25th soap, while books are a luxury and nothers are bighly interesting. This copy of of the Transactions may be recommended to anyone who is interested in the primitive culture of our LOCAL AND COAST NEWS.

> We have received an artistically got up appropriement to the effect that Industrial Exhibition will be opened Uyeno Park, Tikyo, from March 20 tise. The great advantage that the June 20 next.

subscriber to The Times Book Club is Mr Geo. P. Lammert has asked us to mention that at the Harris-Keeney auction, subscribers to the older circulating the goods will be sold without reserve, not with reserve, as advortised by him yesterlibraries, is that he does not have to day. The date has been altered to Thurswait for a book. "With most of the

A Shanghai firm has received the following interesting communication :- "Dear Sir. The Chinese calendar in your company is glance in looking, to be sure sur-Of the two ways of cutting this pros- gigantic beyond example in connexion with pective loss, other libraries adopt the its fine spectacle, while I look at it. I shall be very much obliged, if you will device of buying as few copies as they kindly give me some pieces, as I have great dare and dribbling them out to patient deal of interest of it."

subscribers, each of whom may have The Craik Children Fund. . . the name of the book on his list for We have received from Mr D. weeks before one of the few available Dorabjee a cheque for \$25 on behalf of the Oralk Children Fund.

Launch at the Docks.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock he recond of the atern-wheelers designed for trade in Indo China waters was launched at the between pristine and permanent de-Rowloon Docks. The boat is named the "Emerald," and she is a sister ship to the mand. Those few weeks are not suffi-Perle! launched recently. cient to allow the bookseller to unload

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

A. P. Guterres, first clerk, Mercantile Marine Office, has been suspended from his duties for corrupt practices .- Governmeni Gazette.

Mr R. U. Hutchison has been appointed Acting Assistant Registrar General and authors have been, as regards the vast Deputy Registrar of Marrisges, during the to the continual divisions among the absence of Mr C. Clementi. majority of them, on the side of the

publishers. It is better to bear the Rev. C. H. Hickling will lead the meetwere making on the Rt. Hon. A. J ... ing of the Hongkong Christian Union at ills we have than fly to others that we 5.30 p.m. on Monday next at the European know not of. One painful incident in Y.M.C.A., Alexandra Buildings. Everythe controversy has been the eagerbody welcome. ness of The Times and its supporters

At a recent meeting of the United Mark Lodge E. C. Bro. Baker was paid the compliment of being re-elected Master for the ensuing year. Bro. MacDonald was elected tressurer and Bro. Vanstone tyler.

Since his return to the Colony His Excellency Sir Matthew Nathan has been exceedingly busy inspecting public works. the profession? The Times method The day after his return he visited several spots on the Island and later went to Kowloon to see what progress is being made with the work on the railway to Canton.

Admiral C. Tamari, who arrived in the Colony yesterday by the Japanese cruiser "Takachiko," landed this morning to pay a visit to His Excellency the Governor. A guard of honour from the Middlesex Regiment was drawn up on Blake Pier to receive the Admiral and the officers accompanying him and as they landed the band played the Japanese National Anthem. hers are both rogues, each eager to Chairs from Government House were in waiting and after inspecting the guard the

Admiral left for Government House. Old residents of the Colony who were friends of Mr John Walter, of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, will regret to learn of his death in England. Mr Walter was in Hongkong for many years and he made a large circle of friends, not alone in this Colony but throughout the Far East. He joined the Bank in Shanghai so far back as 1868 and since then he has served the bank in various capacitles faithfully and profitably. In 1886 he was Acting Chief Manager in Hongkong, and at different times was manager at Shanghai and Yokohama, in addition to making several tours of inspection of the Bank's premises. About ton years ago he was appointed one of the London managers convenience. Any way, all parties of the Bank, which position he occupied until 1902, when he gave up his active duties and was invited to a seat on the the hurly-burly's done, books will be London Committee. The Banking Corporation always recognised in Mr. Walter a loyal and valued servant, and they as we diffused by whatever concessions are as Mr Walter's friends are grieved to hear of his demise,

DISAPPOINTED.

"The reason you don't sympathize with me is that you have never been disappointis ed in love yourself."

I haven't, ch? That's all you know. Why, I once advertised for a wife with a million dollars and I never got, a single reply."-Philadelphia Press.

SPEAKS WELL OF CHAMBERLAIN COUGH REMEDY.

ent sketch of Japanese neolithic culture. the benefit of the public: "Chamberlain's would have been no danger, of any An ardent collector himself he has we have been handling it for some and as unpleasant incident. been fortunate enough to have the co- we can confidently say that we sell more of it than we do of any other preparation of operation of many realous assistants, that kind." This medicine is especially Japanese and foreign, and with their recommended for coughs, colds, croup and out advertisements. If soapmakers help he has been able to present to little eass with absolute security. For sale by all chemists and ceased to advertise, it would make readers in addition to the letter-press by all shemist and storokeepers.

### TELEGRAPH.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

ARRESTS AT WUCHANG.

(From Our Correspondent.) .... Впанспат, Јапшату 25.

A large number of Chinese, alleged to be members of secret societies, have been arrested at Wuchang.

They are mostly students from

The energetic action of the Viceroy was prompted by orders from Peking.

**AMERICANS** 

(From Our Correspondent)

SHANGHAI, Junuary 25. Of the women brought before the American Court at Shanghai, four were

fined \$1,000 and costs. The others claimed other nationalities, having mostly obtained Spanish cortificates.

[Received too late for publication yestorday.-En. C. M.]

HOME POLITICS.

BALFOUR AND THE UNIONISTS

(Exclusive Service, supplied by Reuter, wia Bombay).

LONDON, January 25. Speaking at Birmingham, the Rt. Hon. J. Austin Chamberlain referred Unionists, as was evidenced by the attacks a section of the Unionist Press

On account of his silence on fiscal matters Mr Chamberlain does not believe that Mr Balfour will abanden the policy announced by him on March

"None of the members of the Commons," remarked the late Chancelfor of the Exchequer, "could or would replace Mr Balfour as leader."

[REUTRE'S SERVICE.] THE KINGSTON INCIDENT

CLOSED. LONDON, January 24. Mr Bacon, in a note to Mr Howard, the British Charge de offaire at Washington, astens to assure him on behalf of President Roosevelt, that the American Government will pay no heed whatever to the Jamaica

ASSASSINATION OF Mr WHITE-

LEY.

London, January 24. The "Universal Provider," Mr Whiteley has been shot dead, his assailant immediately committing suicide.

THE MADISON GARDEN SENSATION.

Trial of Harry Thaw.

London, January 24. The trial of Mr Harry Thaw who shot the architect, Mr Stanford White, in New York last June has commenced, and is causing immense interest.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

(From the JAPAN ADVERTISEE.) BRITISH WAR MINISTER ON JAPANESE OFFICERS.

LONDON, Jan. 11. Mr Haldane, the Secretary of State for ar, in a speech at Edinburgh University, has paid the highest tribute to the Japanese officers saying that they were highly trained by drill, ethics, Bushide, and education, and discharged their duties with gallantry unparalleled in the present age. He said they were an example of the success of organisation and self-control.

ABANDONMENT OF TRAINING SQUADRON'S VISIT TO AMERICA. WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.

The news that the Japanese Training Squadron will not visit San Francisco has caused much regret among the public of that City. Congressman Kahn has stated that although most of the people of San Francisco object to the presence there of Japanese labourers they fully respect the prehistoric archaeology of Japan, his MR John Main, Manager for P. J. Peter- rights of Japan and would be indignant at We sen and Company, Bloemfontein So. any discourtesy to a Japanese squadron. If Africa, makes the following statement for the warships had gone to the port there

> WHEN YOU HAVE A BAD COLD VOU want a remedy that will give you I prompt relief. Get Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always oures and cures

#### THE SCOTCH CONCERT.

There was a gathering of the clans at the City Hall last night when the concert organiced by Mr David Wood and held under the auspices of St, Andrew's Society was held. Chief Hough had under his banner the Hon. Mr May and Mrs May, the Hon, Mrs W. Chatham, Mrs and Miss Chatham, Sir Henry, Lady and Miss Berkeley, Mrs David Wood, Mrs Stewart Lockhart, Mr and Mrs R. Shewan, Mr and Mrs W. A Orulckshank, Mr F. W. Mitchell (President of the Yokohama Scottish Society), Mrs and Miss Mitchell, Mr Murray Stewart, Mr and Mrs Ramsay, Mr and Mrs Pinckney, Mesers Wormald, Wishart and H. Hancock, and there was a large gathering of others. The programme was composed of music dear to the Scottish heart, and its interpretation was keenly appreciated. The band of the 3rd Middlesez Regiment opened both parts of the programme with arrangements of the evergreen airs of Scotland, and they awakened whatever enthusiasm lay dormant in the breasts of the audience. Their playing was warmly applauded. The pathetic ballad " My Nannie's Awa" was so pleasingly rendered by Mr R. H. Baxter as to seeme for him an encore, and he sang bi O' a' the Airts." Mrs G. H. Edwards, who was next on the programme, had two songs to sing, and for both she was warmly applauded. Her first song was the old favourite " Bonnie Mary of Ar gyll," and her second the equally popular "Caller Herrin," which she sang very Mr G. Balloch's robust voice "Willie's gane to Meland being encored be "The Bonnie Earl of Moray." Two songs were also given by Mrs David "Ye Banks and Braes of Bonnie "Ye Shall Walk in Silk Attire," and in each instance she received cordial approbation. Whenever Mr R. Sutherland appears a laugh is guaranteed, Christmas Coose," his singing of " Hooch Aye," and the stories he told being highly delightful, of He was in good form and much appreciated. Mrs A. G. Gordon was enthusiastically welcomed back to our concert platform. Her appoarance was the first she has made to pay the usual dividend of 8 per cent. since her return from England, and despite the fact that she is suffering from a throat trouble she most effectively gave "Scots Wha Hae," in the first par', and " My Ain Folk" in the second. The applause accorded her was vociferous, and being encored in each case she first sang " Duris Door " and later "Queen of my Soul" with most pleasing results. The only other vocal item was "O, Willie Brew'd a Peck o' Maut," and it was given with dramatic effect by Messrs L. Broughall, R. H. Baxter Gow. The audience were delighted with the song. The only other performer on the programme, but not the least, was Mr Jok!. His violin solow, 44 Larghetto and Allegro," by Guiseppe Tattini, and a "Hungarian Dance," were exceedingly well played, and being encored for both he gave in the first instance Simon's "Berceuse" and in the accord "Berceuse de Joselyn." The accompani ments were well played by Mr E. J. Chapman and Mrs Buxter, and contributed much towards the success of the concert, The platform was appropriately decorated for the occasion, and generally speaking the organisers of the concert, the performers, and the Society are to be congratulated upon the marked success at-

### Y.W.C.A. DAY SCHOOL.

At 12 o'clock to day the annual prize distribution took place at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Day School. The Cairman of the Association, Dr. Ho Nai Hop, called on Mr F. C. Leiser, acting Head Master to report on the year's work. In brief the report of the Head Master was as follows "This day marks the close of the second year of the Association Day Schoo'. We have had 234 school days during the past year with an attendance of seventy seven students in the Spring term and seventy in the Winter term. The average daily attendance has been fifty. As compared with last year both the enrollment and average daily attendance show an increase of over 100%. The work of the students has been quite satisfactory, the progress in arithmetic has not been as much as was expected, whereas splendid progress has been made in composition, conversation in English, geography, sentende building for beginners and in hygiene. Our instruction in Chinese has been excellent. About the middle of December the Head Master made application to the Inspector of Schools for Hongkong for a grant-in-aid for the Association Day Schools and recently the Inspector paid our school a visit to ascertain the standing. The 'Day School will open again on the 4th of March for the school year of 1907; old-students will be allowed to enter with the same fee as last year and they will be given preference. New students will be asked to pay an additional fee of \$2.00 for registration. No more than 100 students will be admitted." After the report of the Head Master the prizes were then distributed to the the motion of the chairman seconded by following students: 1st class-Wai Kan. Mr Haupt. and Chuen Ki King; 2nd class-Tang Heung Cheung, Li U Ming, Ho Hue In and Lam Ng Fook ; 3d class-Li Hon Wal Lam Chak Yam, and Lai Lam Fook: 4th Shul. Messrs A. J. Raymend and Ho class-Tsoi Shai Fan, Cheung Wum Man, Wong Wai Pong, Ling Kwong Kee, and Cheung Shau.

A HABIT TO BE ENCOURAGED. THE mother who has acquired the habit of keeping on hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, saves herself a great amount of uneasiness and anxiety. Coughs, colds and croup, to which children are susceptible are quickly cared by its soon as the first symptoms of croup appear, bature's plan, loosens the cough, relieves it will prevent the attack. This remedy the lungs and opens the secretions, effectcontains nothing injurious and mothers give ing a permanent cure. It counteracts any it to little ones with a feeling of perfec. tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. security. Sold by I chemists and storet It is pleasant to take. Children like it.

### THE ROYAL VISIT.

#### Arrangements for Landing.

The Government Guzette contains the following regulations concerning the landing of their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught :-

The I'. and O. steamer " Delhi," wil about 8 a.m. on February 6, proceed through the Central Fairway direct to Alfred Hole's (Blue Funnel) Eastern buoy. From the time the vessel leaves Sulphur Channel until she is made fast to the buoy the Central Fairway will be closed to ordinary traffic and no ship, junk or vessel of any description other than those author: ised to be in attendance on the "Delhi" may pass in or across the Central Fairway during this period,

At the disembarkation of Their Roya Highnesses the route from the " Delhi" to Blake Pier will be lined by launches and no junk, ateam launch, boat or other vesse except those engaged in the dis-embarkation may pass in or between the lines.

#### COMPANY MEETINGS.

#### China Provident Loan and mortgage uo.

The tenth ordinary meeting of the shareholders of the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Company, Limited, was held at 11.30 a.m. at the offices of the general managers, Messrs Shewan, Tomes and Company. The Hon. Mr R. Shewan was in the chair and there were also present -Dr Noble, Mosara H. P. White, E. D. Haskell, W. J. Carroll, Chow Hing Kee

and J. A. Young (Secretary.) The Chairman :- Gentlemen .- Following the usual custom we will, with you permission, consider the Report and Accounts as read. The year under review has been a and he created considerable amusement by very difficult one, owing to unprecedented 2.145. dullness in trade and a sovere slump in value of real estate. Our turnover was therefore, very considerably restricted, and in consequence for a considerable part of the year we had funds in hand, which we 1.08. were unable to put out on satisfactory security. In spite of this we are still able | 2.19. besides placing \$15,000 to Roserve, result which I venture to think will considered quite satisfactory by share holders. We have had to readjust th value of our shares hold against Invest of Reserve, which is unfortunate, but we have little doubt that the amount thus written off will soon come back as the share market revives. Other items in the Accounts are very much as usual, and do not require explanation. In conclusion we hope that the report of the "Special Commission" to enquire into the administration of the Sanitary and Building Regulations under the Public Health Ordinance will benefit property in the long run, and that the requirements of the Sanitary Board will be modified to a considerable degrees. for if the serious drop in values of 25 to 30 per cent cannot altogether be attributed to these regulations, it has certainly accentuated the depression to a very large extent. I am glad to say that all our | 354, 1.481, 2.20.

> Mr Haskell proposed the re-election bf Dr. J. W. Nobie, Messra J. S. Van Buren, H. P. White and Chow Hing Kee to the consulting committee. Mr Carroll seconded. Carried.

louns seem quite safe and give us no cause

Mr. White proposed the re-election of Mesars A. O'D. Gourdin and W. H. Potts as auditors, Chow Hing Kee seconded and | 2.22.

the motion was carried. The Chairman—That is all the business. centlemen. I am obliged to you for your

### Land Reclamation Company.

The ordinary annual meeting of share- Cup, 17; Hongkong Club Cup, 14; Racing holders in the Hongkong Land Reclamation | Stakes, 22. .Company was held at the Company's office, Victoria Buildings, at noon. The Hon Mr Gold Coast Cup, 25; Professional Cup, 20; able effect. W. J. Gresson presided and there were also Challenge Cup, 32; Navy Cup, 30; Parsec present : Sir Paul Chater, Messra A. J. Raymond, D. M. Nissin, (directors), F. M. Graca, J. M. Graca, A. Shelton Hooper, Lo Chueng Shul, J. Orange, J. C. Peter, C. H. Ross, H. Percy Smith and M. S. Northcote (Secretary.)

The Secretary having read the notice convening the meeting the Chairman said -Gentlemen. The report and accounts having been in your hands for the past week. we will, with your permission, take them as read. There is little, if anything, in the accounts before you for me to comment on, Our revenue from interest and mortgage having extended over the full period, in stead of as in last year for a few months only receipts show an increase of some 826 000 on the other hand rents have declined the Admiralty having given up their tenency of the coal storage ground at Yaumati. Our houses on Kowloon Marine Lot 49 continue to be well occupied and are in good repair. The reclamation work in front of this lot is still in progress and though somewhat delayed b the typhoons of last September should be completed during the current year. No sales of land have taken place during the past twelve months and your directors do not recommend a dividend of more than 7 per cent, the payment of which will absorb some \$33,000 of the balance brought forward from 1905.

If any further information is desired shall be pleased to give it. · There were no questions and the adoption

of the report and accounts was carried on

Mr Shellim's appointment to the Board of Directors was confirmed on the motion of Mr Hooper seconded by Mr Lo Cheung Tung- were re-elected directors on the motion of Mr J. M. Grace seconded by Mr | Club race round Wagian to-morrow. The Ross. Messre W. H. Potts and A. O'D European rigged vessels have not entered Gourdin were re-elected auditors on the and the race will be between three or four motion of Mr Peter seconded by Mr of the Chinese rigged vessels.

This was all the business and the chairman announced that dividend warrants would be ready on Monday.

use. It counteracts any tendency of a cold OLDS are quickly cured by Chamber- 28th; kick-off at 4.45. The Club will play centre. to result in pneumonia, and when given as U lain's Cough Remedy. It ac's on in colours. Back, B. Johnson; Three-For sale by all chemists and storekeepers.

#### SPORTING.

#### Racing Notes.

wonder if Chief Hough fully appreciated the Scotch mist which lay over the course this morning? What a pity they had not a share of it in St. George's Hall last night, for I am sure the men with the watches would have been only too pleased such could have been arranged. The music and the mist (without the barley bree) would have gone well together. However, as this culumn is supposed to be for racing notes only, I how to Robbie and

My hints of last Wednesday have had good effect, for ever so many of last year's enthusiasts turned up this morning, and their racing spirit is as good as ever. It was not a good morning for taking times, for as the day advanced, so did the mist, and by 7.45 or thereabout the entire course was enveloped. The gallops of the derby ponies (a full list of the entries is given below) are being closely watched, and their times carefully put away. To make amends for the bad morning's work, so to speak, six or seven subs, were put ever the mile course, the race being won by Mr Mackie, though the finish was an exceedingly close

The following times were taken :---Petard and Small Rose, one mile, 354, 1.10, 1.454, 2.20.

last mile, 39, 1.14, 1.511, 2.27. Ardpatrick, one mile and a quarter, 331. 1.081, 1.481, 2.261, 2.591. Indian Chief, one mile and a half, 45. 1.231, 2.01, 2.40, 3.171, 3.521.

Glorious Rose, one mile and a quarter, low are in favour for evening wear. A Year gifts. 36, 1.111, 1.451, 2.19, 2,501. Inverugie and Skien Diu, one mile, 37 1.15, 1.51, 2.27.

White Blaze, two miles, last mile, 40, 1.20,  $1.58\frac{1}{2}$ , 2.31. Cotswold, one mile, 35, 1.08, 1.421.

Grey Tick, one mile and a quarter, 41 1.15%, 1.49, 2.23%, 2.55%. (Inside course). Mr Williams' sub., one mile, 42, 1,221, 2.60, 2.32}. Coronet Rose, one mile, last half 342,

Blue Nile, one mile, 37, 1.121, 1.48 Pathan and Vagabond, one mile, last was made in Empire fashion, and had a three-quarters, 33, 1.071, 1.421, Quorn, one mile and a quarter, 36, 1.15, Brussels net.

1.521, 2.25, 3.01. Comanche, one mile and half, 41, 1.20, 1.58, 2.33, 3.08}, 3.41}. Kanaka Chief and Moorish Chief, one mile, 361, 1:091, 1.50, 2.961.

Dwarf Rose, one mile, 36, --, 1.45, 2.18. Mr Ross's Ben Eion, one mile and a half-full time, 3.381.

Big Rose, one mile, 351, 1.121, 1.501, Zaneter and Mr Marshall's black aub., one mile and a half, 401, 1.152, 1.53, 2.281,

Homocea, one mile, 401, 1.18, 1.541, Beaufort, one mile, last three-quarters,

1.151, 1.494. Autumn Rose and Tall Rose, threequarters, last half, 35, I.113. Wicked, one mile-full time, 2.201. Southdown and Southwold, one mile-

full time, 2,23. Marsalla, one mile-full time, 2.211. Cherub and Saladin, one mile-full time. Robbie, one mile-full time, 2.211.

Nigel, three quarters-full time, 1.40. The following are the number of entries attendance. Dividend warrants are ready received for the different races during the three days :-FIRST DAY - Wong-nei-chong, 25 Victoria Stakes, 13; Valley Stakes, 29, Maidon Stakes, 14; Foochow Cup, 14

> SECOND DAY-Jockey Cup, 23, Exchange Plate, 15; Derby, 21, German Cup, 26

Cup, 15; Gymkhana Cup, 30. THIRD DAY-Birthday Cup, 21; Great Southern Stakes, 19; Hongkong Stakes, 36 : Ladies' Purse, 16 ; Flyaway Stakes, 16; Phaeton Stakes, 19; German Cup, 32. Consolation Stakes, 23, and the Champions, which is a forced entry for winning ponies.

The full entry for the Derby is as Mr Buxey-Melrose, Spring Rose and Autumn Rose. Mr Copenhagon-Cubic. Mr Fas-Black Pausy and Marsalla.

Messrs Hough and Shewan-Pride of Cadzow and Inverugie's Hope. Mr Hunter-Pathan. Mr Kadoorie-Kanaka Chief and Manchurian Chief.

Mr Logan-Paisley's Pride. Mr Macdonald-Highland Heather. Mr F. B. Marshall-Disposer. .Mr Modico-Nigel. Mr John Peel-Beaufort, Southwold, Southdown, and Atherstone.

Mr Ross-Ben Eion.

Mr White-Grey Tick.

### Yachting.

" CHINA MAIL" CUP.

The One-Design boats of the Corinthian Yacht Club started to resail the race for the CHINA MAIL Cup this afternoon, but the prospects of finishing the race were very bad at the time of starting. Scarcely a ripple was to be seen on the water, and the only breeze about was coming off shore in Hongham and Kowloon Bays. The race started and 2.30 and was to be finished

BOYAL HONGKONG CLUB. The cruisers of the Royal Hongkons

### Football.

A RUGBY MATCH. The following have been selected to play for the Club in the Rugby Match against Captain Rankin's XV. on Monday, January quarters, F. C. Kendall, C. M. Proshaw. A. O. Lang and R. F. C. Master; Halver, E. Pearce and L. J. Blackburne ; Forwards, H. G. C. Bailey, R. G. Munro. F. C. Hall, MacIlwraith, W. J. Daniel, T. J. Topliss, A. Gange and another.

#### The Go-as-You-Please Race.

The go-as-you-please race organized by the Victoria Recreation Club was run off this afternoon. The start was at the Cricket Ground at 3 o'clock, eleven men competing. Those who started were Messra J. D. Kinnaird, A. Currie, J. Alves N. H. Alves, D. Spares, R. Stavenson, T. Kring, A. J. Darby, A Skinner, Lance Corp. Gee and Private Mills.

the men away well together and they in the midst of a snow storm, and making the Poak Tram Station in a bunch and all constituency are not overwhelmingly running very strongly. The finish was at | teresting to the "neighbouring island of Government House after traversing Ken. Great Britain." There are no law courts nedy Road, Wong Nei-chong gap, Bowen no meetings, no lectures, no conferences, Road and back, and was judged by Mr no demonstrations of any kind, not even F. Lammert, the following being the placed public banquets. In short, we have no

Lance Corpl. Geo. 622 min. ... J. D. Kinnaird, 631 min. ... ... A. J. Darby, 64 minutes ...

#### MATTERS FEMININE. Botty's London Letter.

London, Dec. 24.

WHAT IS BEING WORN.

vivid colours and those less boldly defined continues, and one cannot say on which side the majority of wearers can be found. Black Pansy, one mile and a quarter, At one fashionable gathering we see black and dull art shades entirely in the accendant, while at another rainbow tints may citron yellow muslin freek was trimmed with bands of nut brown satin, Irish lace, tinted out brown, was used to trim the bodice with excellent effect. Another rather uncommon toilet was in pale yellow chiffon with a hom of dark manye volvet in a carefully chosen and touches of the same on corsage. A third handsome gown evening wear was made of pale green satin you take them if you could get them? with an over-dress of Brussels net embroidered with gold marigolds. This frock such of gold tissue chining through the

As regards afternoon toilets the Princess style most elaborately trimmed is meeting with particular favour. As a completement to this Princess gown a loose sort Spring Rose, three-quarters, -, 1.071, of bodice piece is worn, fastening at the back and affecting the pinafore style by being brought aquarely across the bust,

some lovely new models for evening coats this week, more levely than practical, I but all round the state of matters is satismay mention, for three out of four of these plogant creations were cut in cape fashion and made entirely of unlined Irish lace or guipure with a border of marrabout or

out-do her neighbours in the originality of her dinner table decorations. Pottery demand-rather a curious sentence to the is taking the place of glass vases for eye of the outsider. The advice offered holding flowers and with charming effect. A pretty arrangement was of pink carnations with quantities of their own leaves -"One of the most malign influences has arranged in green pottery bowls, dishes and pots; and yet another was of white narclesi an improvement in this direction." Much In tall blue pottery vases with the addition apparently, depends upon the point of of smaller pots filled with masses of violets. This latter I must confess is more suited for a tiffin party decoration than for Trial Plate 19; Garrison Cup, 24; Lusitano the evening, as blue is notoriously a bad night colour. Dutch copper and old bruss bowls filled with white Ohrysanthemums and coloured leaves have an admir-

pened the chapter of revelations concerning the Smart Set, and others seem inclined to continue the same. Sidney Paternoster writ- will prove a better diplomatist than he has ing in one of the Magazines-which shall be over been a Parliamentarian. nameless-gives us some startling stories which he declares to be true, of the doings of Smart Society dames. One of career at Westminster, my impressionthe stories is quite worth repeating. In the amoking room of a country the Commons. Like Lord Playfair when house one evening three men, all devoted he was in the Lower House, Mr Bryce admirers of their hostess, were discussing could not make a speech, he always lecturthe beauty of the contume the lady was ed as if to a senior class of students. That wearing that evening, and one of the men I was not the style in which to catch the remarked that the first time she had worn | ear of hon. members. In fact, he was it at a big Society function (naming the !" in "Parliament, but he was never " of " same) she had created quited a sensation. it: It was characteristic that he was always "I should not have thought you would have spoken of as "Professor" Bryce. been so observant," said a second man, Perhaps I should not have remembered, replied the first, "but I had seen the dress before," "Fo as it happens had said the third, "In fact I saw It flited." On comparing notes the three men discovered that not only had they all seen the frock fitted, but they had all paid

THE CONFURE. Quite a number of fashionable women are wearing artificial reputation. As a party politician, and "Gibson" curls to fill up the hollow which even as a member of a Liberal Cabinat would otherwise appear under the brims of the much tilted hate. The bair is being dressed at the back for indoor wear, with a cluster of curls above each car with soit ondulés puffs between. Martean curleabove the nape of the neck are also frequently seen, and plaits of hair are worn across the head in a mariner that was in vogue thirty years ago. Tall Spanish combs, and especially antique once, have a great fibre will be equally serviceable. following where the hair is dressed high on the top of the head.

SAU:AGE TOAST .- Remove the skins from some sausages (the tinned variety will do) and mix the mean in a basin with a little butter, mustard and some chopped parsley, then spread it on tosated bread, lightly

COYLETS A LA BERNE.-Braine some mutton outlets, then make some good onion sauce, dip the cutlets into ft, let them

HAM SAUCE .- Out up a pound of boiled ham into dice. Pound in a mortar, molaten with stock, add a tablespoonful of Worcester sauce and one of tomato sauce, pass through a sieve and stir in, one pint of stock, a glass of white wine and a lump of fresh butter.

#### OUR SCOTTISH LETTER.

(From Our Correspondent.) EDINBURGH, December 28

We are in the midst of the truce Christmastide, and even in Presbyterian Scotland we feel the gracious influence of the season of peace and goodwill. Parliament is "up" and the tongue of the fensive. politician la silent. One indefatigable hon. Mr T. Pearson acted as starter and got member, it is true, is touring through Bute speedily disappeared up the hill towards three speeches a day, but the affairs of his public life just now, only social gatherings. Happy, indeed, is the country that has no history during the holidays, only happenings. Perhaps the most remarkable sign of the prevailing restfulness is that nebody is taking the trouble to curse Mr Haldane either in speech or in print.

We have had a clean, hard Christmas and a white Boxing Day, -that is " good wen ther for the shops." The streets are fullbusiness and faultlessly got up men of to come. fashion, for this week of all the year, are not ashamed to be seen with armfuls of little packages tied up in brown paper. One of our festivals is now past; we are looking forward to another; and to-day, of course, there is not such a thing to be prevail and their contrasts be conspicuous found as a Christmas present displayed in by their absence. Pale shades of lemon yel- the windows, they have all become New

It is perhaps worth noting that Japanese toys have bulked largely in all the displays, -and Japanese trifles. The slightest new "idea" seems to have a roady sale. In the course of my purchases in this season of gifts, I happened to ask a merchant in a large way whether he had not some Indian tle or Chinese articles. He replied "Nothing new ; only the old line." . " But wouldn't 'Rather," he said emphatically, "they'd sell like penny pies." I don't know anything about these matters, but may t there is a hint here for one of your readers:

one of great presperity for Scotland. The improvement that set in towards the end of 1904, and continued through 1905, has been maintained, and as yet there are no indications of a relapse. Isolated indus-EVENING WRAPS. -I have been shown tries, such as the South of Scotland woollen trade, might have better reports, factory. Aberdeen, Dundee, and Glasgow, have all done well,-Dundee especially Edinburgh, although not a manufacturing centre, has also had a good twelvemonths. The great shipbuilding and marine engine industries on the Clyde have made a record, and have good orders for the knew where the papers were, took them, TABLE DECORATIONS. At this festive coming year. The distilleries, however, and then he would clear out of the harbour. are grumbling. The general impression in the Trade (with a big T) is that the supply of whisky is greater than the by those who know is to curtail the output." A writer dealing with the course of events in the Scotch Whisky trade says. been the dwindling consumption, and there is unfortunately still no direct evidence of

The appointment of Mr Bryce to Washington has, of course, touched us closely nomination with pardonable pride-another representative of our little country has gone forth to take high office. The new Ambassador to the United States, it is also gratifying to know, takes with him the THE SMART SET .- Father Vanghan heartiest wishes for success from all parties. It goes without saying that he is a man of outstanding ability and of encyclopædic knowledge, still it is to be hoped that he

During the many years I watched his and it was shared by my colleagues-was that he never got properly into touch with

There will be one good result of his

appointment. It will take him out of British party politics, which have tended to cramp, if not distort, his finer mental qualities. He is one of a group of distinguished contemporaries Sir Goorge Trevelyan and Mr Morley may be instanced -who have sacrificed much at the shrine of party without gain to their own even as a member of a Liberal Cabinet, Mr Bryce lost ominence rather than gained repute. His public services on the platform and in Parliament have not compensated for the work he might have done with his pen. It might be that a kind fortune, also, is taking him away from the evil that is to come. The Government are about to enter stormy waters where mariners of rougher build and coarser

Principal Rainy is dead: that is a great matter in the present day history of Scotland. "Another master mind is summoned-from the world-wide chamber hall.' Set the mixture in the oven to heat and For generations he has been a tower in Scottish ecclesiastical life, and lesser men have walked under his legs and peeped about, overywhere and always overshadowed by his personality. He was a born leader of men, and would have led in whatever stand till cold, then egg and bread-crumb sphere of life fortune had been pleased to them ever and fry a light brown colour. place him, A great statesman was lost Dish in a crown, with mushed potato in the when he devoted himself to the Church. As a polomic, there was not a Parliamentarian of the last forty years who could have distanced him. When he pleased, or when he saw an object to be gained, he could stir even antagonistic listoners by the magic of his silver tongue and the brilliance of his eloquence. And he could be a sophist too.

no one better, and with much complexity of thought and aubtlety of reasoning. involved in parenthesis and beclouded with vorbosity, he could sway audiences o intellectual men. He had to excess what Bismarok called "The art of saying nothing in a great many words." Emeritus Professor Masson once alluded to the venerable Principal as one "skilled in the science of exigencies." The phrase is a happy one, delicately expressive without being

Dr Rainy was often compared to Mr Gladstone. I have heard Rainy hundreds of times in the General Assembly and Gladstone thousands of times in the House of Commons, and I can say that the likeness between the two was extremely close. It is interesting to record, what is not generally known, that these two great men How and Cold Water Throughout positions been reversed, so that Mr Gladstone had led the Free Church and Dr Rainy the House of Commons, it is possible that the course of history would have been much the same.

For some years past, there has been great rivalry between Aberdeen and Dundoo: The Granito City has lately plumed itself on the fact that its population is greater than that of Jutopolis. Dundes however, is not to surrender the position of third city of Scotland without a fight." It is promoting a Provisional Order to extend its boundaries and take in the populous district of Downfield. By this means it of sisters, cousins, and aunts; each convoy- hopes to get the better of Aberdeen in the The struggle for supremacy between ing a bovy of children. And staid men of matter of population for a number of years

(To be continued.)

#### BY WHARF AND WAVE.

At Shanghai T. G. K. Miller proceeded against the steamer "Maori King" for £34.10 for wages, £50 for wrongful dismissal, and £40 expenses arising therefrom Some of the evidence given against the Captain was startling. A Russian watchman said he saw the Captain take the log book surreptitiously from its place and it was not returned, and he also produced a book in which the Captain wrote something so that the Russian-who did not speak English well-could decipher it later with the aid of a dictionary. The entry read :" "Evidence will be required from you in my defence. My officers are all revolutionists. I am a just man, not severe. My officers are tired and impatient at the long stay at Vladivostock. The by all other Leading Makers officers are like children, not men. I will The balancing of our national books is not forget your assistance. The captain of how taking place, and everything points the port is my best friend in Vladivostock. out, that the year just closing had been The inattention of my officers has caused trouble with cargo, £35,000. Future trouble with officers drunkenness disobedience or bad behaviour only if true.' Witness produced the book; to the Court. Witness was to be remunerated for service to the Captain who

he would pay Rs. 300 for the evidence of the four watchmen. He steal some of the ship's papers from the Custom House and that he would pay him Rs. 5,000 for them. The Captain suggested that witness should go with him to the Custom House and witness should talk to the officer there while the Captain, who Witness went and told the captain of the port and suggested that he should bring the captain up and the officials should have an officer there to arrest him when he took the papers. The captain of the port declined to do this. The case was not

Reliable medicine and one that should always be kept in the home for immediate use is Chamberlain's Cough Rcmedy. It will prevent the attack if given as so n as the child becomes hourse, or even after the croupy cough appears. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains no opium or other harmful In one respect we have looked upon the drug. For sale by al chemists and store-

- THE -

Price 20 cents.

year; \$2.25, per quarter.

delivered at your Address.

## NEW

### HIGH-CLASS HOTEL

UNDER STRICTLY AMERICAN MANAGEMENT.

TABLE D'HOTE. CUISINE EXCRLIENT.

COMMODIOUS ROOMS WITH EVHAY

For Terms, apply to

W. B. MOSES,

Hongkong, April 12, 1906.

The .

STEINWAY

is a work of creative art which stands alone—unqualifiedly THE BEST.

PIANOS FOR SALE OR HIRE

PRICES quality and BASED ON PRESENT RATE OF EXCHANGE,

WE INVITE YOU TO CALL at our Office and make your own selection from our

extensive stock of CHAMPAGNES. PORTS.

SHERRIES.

MADEIRA. MARSALA. CLARETS (French, American as BURGUNDIES. HOUKS.

MOSELLES. WHITE WINES, BRANDIES. WHISKIES. GINS. RUMS. BITTERS.

LIQUEURS. Bottled ALE and STOUT. ORIGINAL TAN-SAN WATER, and GINGER ALE, CIGARS, etc. Price List on application.

19. QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

THE YARN MARKET

TELEPHONE No. 135

Mesers Cawasjee Pallanjes and Co. report :- Since the issue of our last report on the 11th inst., per s.s. "Simle," our market raied very quiet in the beginning of ... the fortnight and scarcely any orders were received from the country. Subsequently as the China New Year is rapidly approxching (13th February) come dealers in anticipation of brisk demand after the holldays pub in an appearance buying chiefiy desirable superior favourite spinnings of No. 10s. of which they secured a fairly large lot by paying 50 cents to a dollar per bale higher over pravious. quotations. The higher counts of Nos. Os. and 16s. which used formerly to find ready sales in large quantities in our local markets are now very difficult to move as the Jaraneve are pushing their own spinnings in the Newchwang and Mancharla markets, the chief outlets for these counts. We close quiet but steady. Nos. 6s. and 8s.-Insigificant business, No. 10s .- Fairly large sale have been effected in special favourite superior spinnings at an advance of 50 cents to a Rollar per bale. No. 12s.—In small request at former rates. No. 16s.—Trifling business at quotations. No. 20a - Owing to absence of orders from the consuming districts a very small demand has been experienced and prices have receded \$1 per bale. Sales during the past fortnight comprise of about 25 bales of No. 6s. ; 20 bales of No. 8s.; 5,105 bales of No. 10s.; 307 bales of No. 12s.; 145 bales of No. 16s.; and 640 bales of No. 20s. : in all about 6,832 bales. Arrivals per steamer "Laisang," "Austria," " Devanha," and "G. Appear! of about 1,518 beles. Shipment to Shanghai and Northern Ports of about-10.000 bales. The unsold stock is estimated

at about 126,000 bales. Local Yarn :- Sales of 100 bales No. 109. at \$78 are reported. Japanese Yarn :- Importations have ceased as the yarn is being forwarded to Manchuria where it finds prompt sales and

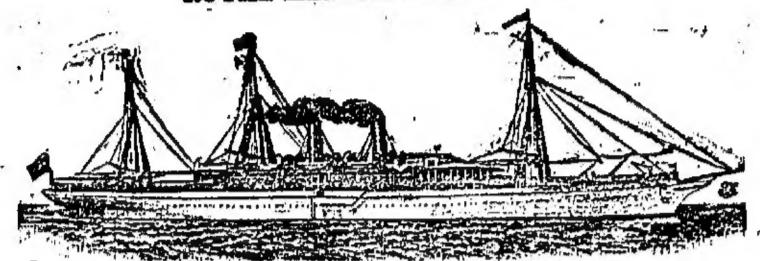
better prices than in our local markets.

#### ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGA- PACIFIC MAIL S.S. CO., PENINSULAR TION COMPANY

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on or about the DATES named :-REMARKS.

E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

COMPANYS PACIFIC RAILWAY ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE,



PROPOSED SAILINGS. (Subject to Alteration).  THATE HONGKONG ARRIVE VANCOUVER.	in the second se	18 DALLS MONEY
R.M.S.  EMPRESS OF INDIA	R.M.S.  EMPRESS OF INDIA	Leave Hongrong Arrive Vancouver.  Thursday, Feb. 14

SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, (through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN), KOBE, YOKOHAMA and VICTORIA, B.C., connecting at VANCOUVER with a Special Mail Empresss, and at St John, N.B., with the Company's new palatial 'EMPRESS' Steamships, 14,500 tons register. The through transit to Liverpool being 22 1/2 days China and Japan Governments. from Yekohama, and 29 1/2 days from Hongkong. Hongkong to London, 1st Class.....via St. Lawrence £60. vie New York £62. Intermediate on Steamers.

R.M.S. MUNTEAGLE, TARTAR AND ATHENIAN Carry INTERMEDIATE Passengers only at intermediate rates, affording superior accommodation for that Class. Passengers booked through to all points and AROUND THE WORLD.

China and Japan Governments. For further information Maps, Routes, Handbooks, Rates of Freight and Pas-D. W. CRADDOCK. sage, apply to

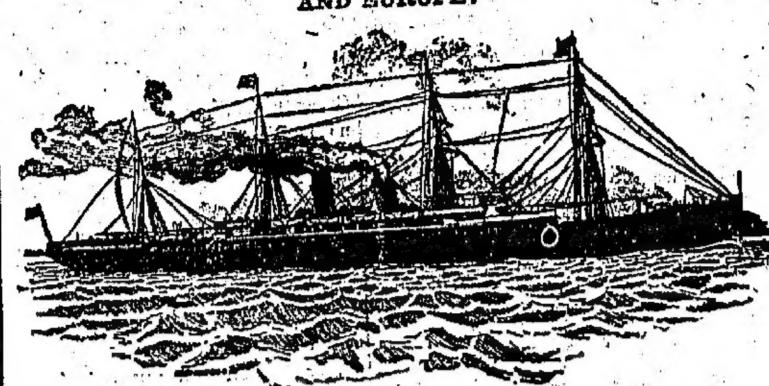
General Traffic Agent for China. Conner People Street and Prays, Opposite Blake Pier.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL 8.8. CO., TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

MAIL LINES.

Shipping.

TARING PASSENGERS AND CARGO TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA. AND EUROPE:



Only line taking the warm Southern Route across the Pacific, via Honolulu,

on Other the most fertile and beautiful island of	the L'Actator	. 1.	- P. Y		
* NIPPON MARU11,000 DORIO	(SUBJECT TUESDAY, TUESDAY, SATURDAY, BATURDAY, TUESDAY,	29th 5th 16th 23rd 5th 16th 23rd	Feb., Feb., Feb., Mar., Mar.,	at Noon.	
* AMERICA MARU, 11,000 ***  * SIRERIA	TUESDAY, TUESDAY,	2nd 9th	April,	at Noon, at Noon, at Noon.	

\* Twin Screws RECORD FAST TRIPS. Yokohama to San Francisco.....s.s. KOREA, 18,000 tons. September 16-27th 1905; 10 days, 11 hours and 5 minutes. San Francisco to Honolulu.....s.s. SIBERIA, 18,000 tons. August 16th-20th, 1965;

San Francisco to Yokohama.....s.s. SIBERIA, calling at Midway Islands and Honolulu en-route, August 16th-31st, 1905, 13 days, 18 hours. Vokohama to San Francisco,................................... SIBERIA, 18,000 tons, Oct. 13th to 23rd, 1905 10 days, 10 hours and 29 minutes.

THE P. M. Steamship MONGOLIA will be despatched from Hongkong to SAN FRANCISCO, via SHANGHAL NAGASARI. (INLAND SEA), KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on TUESDAY, the 29th January, 1907, at Noon, taking cargo for Japan and the United States.

SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of Through Bills of Lading Issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Over-

land Railway, to Hayana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Companies' and connecting Steamers. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Companies, QUEEN'S BUILDINGS. S. SILVERSTONE, Agent.

### & ASIATIC S.S. CO.

SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, TIG. INLAND SEX OF JAPAN, via Men, Koba & Yokohama; For OPERATING IN . . February, 11. G. MEIENER ..... March 16. NICOMEDIA ......3870 FELDTHANN......April

Through Bills of Lading Issued to Pacific Coast Points and all Eastern, Canadian | to Colombo. The cost of the journey from Calcutta to Colombo by rail or steamer is SUMANTIA .....4371 and United States Points. For through rates of Freight and further information, however not included. tommunicate with or apply to SILVERSTONE,

### CHINA NAVIGATION CO., LD.

TOB.	STEAMER TO SAIL
The state of the s	ICHENG tJan. 27, Daylight.
	TARREST AND ALL STREET, AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY OF THE P
	Contract to the second of the
CEBU & ILOILO	SUNGRIANG
CEBU & ILOHO	
MANILA, ZAMBOANGA, PT. DARWIN	TATYUAN 1 J
CATDAIR TOWNSVILLE BRIDDAINS	
TOKOHAMA AND KOBE	THE TEINAN
The second of the discontinuous in disco	ed to the Superior Accommodation offered
* The attention of Passengers is decor	out with Electric Light, Unrivalled Table.

by hese Steamers, which are fitted throughout with Electric A duly qualified Surgeon is carried. † Taking Cargo on through bills of lading to all Yangtsze & Northern China Ports. Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for all New Zealand and other

N.B.-REDUCED JALOON FARES, Single and Return, To Manila and Australian Ports. Australian Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. AGENTS.

Highest Class, newest, fastest and most luxurious Steamers between Hongkong and Manila.—Saloon amidships,
—Electric Light—Perfect Quisine—Surgeon and
Stewardess carried.—All the most up-to-date arrangements for comfort of Passengers.

### CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

Steamship. Tor	. Captains.	For	Sailing Dates.
ZAFIRO 254 RUBI 254	R. Rodger	The state of the s	Saturday, Feb. 2, at Noon. Saturday, Feb. 9, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Snewan, Tomes & Co., General Managers.

ASIATIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY. AMERICAN



FOR NEW YORK, VIA PORTS AND SUEZ CANAL (WITH LIBERTY TO TOALL AT THE

MALABAR COAST). TO BAIL

For Freight and further information, apply to SHEWAN General Agents

### Shipping.

## IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINES.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD,-BREMEN.

#### LINES. EUROPEAN

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, I ORT SAIP, NAPLES, GENOA, ANTWERP, BREMEN/HAMBURG STEAMERS WILL ALSO CALL AT GIBRALTAR AND SOUTHAMPTON. TO LAND

PASSENGERS AND LUGGAGE. TARING CARGO ON THROUGH BILLS OF LADING FOR ALL EUROPEAN, NORTH AND SOUTH. BRAZILS, to SOUTH AFRICA, PERSIAN

AMERICAN PORTS. FROM HONGKONG\_SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

PROPOSET SAILIN	. 1		e.		SAILING	DATES.	1907
STEAMERS.		-1			WEDNESDAY,	30th	Jan.
PRINZ HEINRICH		•••		444	WEDNESDAY,	13th	Feb.
GNEISENAU	***	447	***	***	WEDNESDAY,	27th	Feb.
PREUSSEN	***	***	441	***	WEDNESDAY,	13th	Mar.
PRINZESS ALICE	484	***	444	***	WEDNESDAY,	27th	Mar.
+ SACHSEN	***	• • •	***	***	WEDNESDAY,	27th	Mar.
PRINZ LUDWIG	***	D01 6	444		WEDNESDAY,		April.
ZIETEN	***	111		***	WEDNESDAY,		April.
PRINZ REGENT LU	ттроьо	444	***	***	WEDNESDAY,	Bth	May.
PRINZ EITEL FRIE	DRICH	***	***	484	WEDNESDAY,	22nd	May.
BAYERN		***	***	+44	WEDNESDAY,		June.
PRINZ HEINRICH			***	<b>9 m4</b>	WEDNESDAY!	19th	June.
+ Conveying (H:	H. The B	ing o	f Siam)	GRITY.	ing second-class Pas	sengors	only.

WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of January, 1907, at Noon, the Steamsh PRINZ HEINRICH, Captain GROSON, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this Port as above, Calling at Napues and Genoa. Shipping Orders will be granted till Neon, on MONDAY, the 28th January, Cargo and Specie will be received on Board until 5 p.m. on Tuzenay, the 29th January, and Parcels will be received at the Agency's Office until Noon, on TUESDAY, the 29th

Contents of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50, and Parcels should not exceed Two Cubic Feet in Measurement, The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardesses.

Linen can be washed on board.		1 10	
RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY FROM HONGKONG; To Naples, Genoa and Gibraltar RETURN	187 CLASS £61. 0. 0. 91. 0. 0.		3nd Class £22, 0, 0, 33, 0, 0,
To Southampton, London, Bre- men and Hamburg RETURN	65. 0. 0. 97. 0. 0.	44. 0. 0. 68, 0. 0.	
* To New York, via Sues, Via Naples, Genoa or Gibraltar Return	TID. O. O.	44, 0. 0. 79, 0. 0.	47. 0. 0.
VIA Bremen or Southampton REFUEN	68, 0, 0, 123, 0, 0,	.83. 0. 0.	27. 0. 0. 49. 0. 0.
* In the event of the passenger leaving the Gibraltar and travelling to Bremen or Southamp be applied as via Naples, Genoa or Gof the railway trip, etc., to be at passenger's expendent	Mail Steam ton overland, ibraltar, b	the sam ut in this	e rates to

TOUR Via INDIA Passengers have the option of using a Steamer of the British India S. N. Co., from Singapore to Calcutta instead of an Imperial Mail Steamer from Singapore

INTERRUPTION OF THE VOYAGE IN EGYPT

Passengers to Europe and New York are entitled to travel by the N. D. L. Meditorranean Steamers from Alexandria, to Naples or Marseilles instead of using an Imperial Mail Steamer from Port Said.

### JAPAN-CHINA-AUSTRALIA LINE, VIA NEW CUINEA.

STEAM FOR MANILA, SIMPSONHAFEN, FRIEDRICH-WILHELMSHAFEN HERBERTSHOEHE, MATUPI, BRISBANE, SYDNEY ANDMELBOURNE.

	(SUMEOF TO AMERATION). SAILING DATES.	
MANILA	1790 tons SATURDAY, 2nd Feb., 3227 tons THURSDAY, 28th Feb., 3302 tons THURSDAY, 28th Mar.,	94

ON SATURDAY, the and day of February, at Noon, the STRAMSHIP MANILA, Captain Minssen, with Mails, Passengers, and Cargo, will leave this port as

The Steamer has splendid accommodation and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess. Lines can be washed on board. TARTE OF PASSAGE MONEY PROM HONGKONG

RATES OF PASSAGE MON			SED CLAS	B IST C	LASS 2N	D ULARS
		230	<b>820.</b> —	return.	<b>600.</b>	On.
To MANILA	£28.—	£18.10.	£14.00	return :	142.	227.10
To NEW GUINEA		£20.—	£14.	return :	£54.—	£36,—
TO BRISBANE	£33.—	£23.—	£15.—	return :	£59.10	£41.10
To SYDNEY		£24,10	£18.—	return .	£82.5	£44. D
To MELBOURNE		\$ 60.00	£ 40.00	return	\$170,00	\$120.
To YOK()HAMA		\$ 70.00	8 50.00	return :	\$170.00	<b>3</b> 120.
To KOBE						1
To YOROHAMA & back from		9100.00	The same			4 - 1 - 17
KOBE to HONGKONG	OR MO	NEV PR	OM HON	ICKON	G 18	T CLASS

To Europe via Australia and Colombo by Imperial To Europe via Australia and America ... 98. 0. 0. (from Australia to New York via Vancouver by the C. P. R. Co.'s steamers and from New York to Europe by the Magnificent Express Steamers of the Norddeutscher Lloyd.)

SALINGS OUTWARDS. EUROPEAN & AUSTRALIAN SERVICE.

:1
1
30. 13.
13

TRANSPACIFIC THROUGH TICKETS FROM HONGKONG. via Vancouver or San Francisco to NEW YORK by the C. P. R. Co's steamers, REGULAR STRAMBUR SERVICE BETWEEN P. M. S. S. Co., O. & O. S. S. Co., T. K. K. and from NEW YORK to EUROPE by the Magnificent Express eteamers of the Norddeutscher Lloyd are

issued at the following rates :-18T CLASS to London via Plymenth or Southampton to Paris via Cherbourg ... to Naples, Genoa, via Gibraltar Passage money payable in local currency at current sight Bank Rate of Exchange

the day of payment. Norddeutscher Lloyd. For further Particulars, apply to

MELCHERS & CO., Agents.

THE ORIENTAL PACIFIC LINE. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON AND ANTWERP. FOR SAN FRANCISCO, VIA PORTS THE Steamship GLAMORGANSHIRE THE Steamship DAKUTAH. will be despatched for the above ports on or will be despatched for the above ports on ut WEDNESDAY, the 20th February. or about MONDAY, the 25th February, For Freight & Passage, apply to For freight and further particulars, apply

Agents.

Hongkong, January 16, 1907.

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., Hongkong, January 18, 1907.

### Shipping.

FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, MOJI

THE Steamship GREGORY APCAR, Captain S. H. Berson, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 29th inst., at Noon.

This Steamer has Superior Accommoda-tion for Passengers and is installed through-out with Electric Light and carries a duly certified Doctor. For Freight or Passage, apply to D. SASSOON & Co., LD.,

Hongkong, January 21, 1907.



STEAM FOR FIUME and TRIESTE Direct, Calling at SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, KARACHI, ADEN,

SUEZ AND PORT SAID. (Taking cargo at through rates to the GULP, RED SEA, BLACK SRA, LEVANT, VENICE and ADRIATIC PORTS).

7. | /THE Company's Steamship

Captain DAMIANOVICH, will be despatched as above on or about THURSDAY, the 31st inst., p.m.

This Steamer has capital accommodation for passengers, Electric Light and carries For information as to Passage & Freight, SANDER, WIELER, & CO.,

Princes' Bullding. Hongkong, January 4, 1907.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. NORDDEUTSOHER LLOYD.

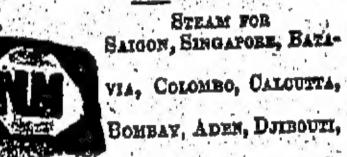
FOR MANILA, SIMPSONHAFEN, FRIEDRICH WILHELMSHAFEN, SAMARAI, BRISBANE, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

THE Steamship Captain MINSSEN, (ready to load on the 28th Jap.) will leave for the above places on SATURDAY, the 2nd February, at

A duly qualified Surgoon is carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. MELOHERS & Co., Hongkong, January 25, 1907.

### MESSAGERIES MARITIMES

FRENCH MAIL STEAMERS.



FOYPE, MARSEILLES LONDON, HAVRE, BORDELUE, MEDITER.

BANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS. THE Steamship OCEANIEN.

Captain Magnen, will be despatched for MARSEILLES on TUESDAY, the 5th January, 1907, at 1 P.M. This Steamer connects at Coloubo with

the Australian line s.s. Nera bound for MARSEILLES, via BOMBAY and ADEN. Passage Tickets and through Bills of Lading issued for above ports. Cargo also booked for principal places in

Next Sailings will be as follows :-B.S. TOUBANZ ...... Feb. 19, 1907. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, January 23, 1907.

REGULAR STEAMSHIP SERVICE TO NEW YORK,

VIA PORTS AND SUEZ CANAL. With Liberty to Call at MALABAR COAST. PROPOSED SATTINGS FROM HONGKONG.

FOR NEW YORK. To SAIL 1917: SIKH ... February 9. MUNCASTER CASTLE ... March 12. For Fraight and further information,

Apply to DODWELL & CO., LTD., 111

### TOYO KISEN KAISHA.

SOUTH AMERICAN LINE. HONGKONG & CALLAO & IQUIQUE, VIA JAPAN PURTS. Will be sent to VALPARAISO if sufficient inducement

THE Steamship. KASATO MARU, Tons 6000, Captain W. C. T. S. FILMER will be despatched for Callao, Liquique via Japan Porte, on APRIL, 1907. Taking Freight and Passengers o other Western Coast Ports of South America. The above steamers have splendid accommodation and are fitted throughout with Electric Light. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried on each boat.

For further information, apply to K. MATSDA, Manager. York Building. Hongkong, December 27, 1908, 246

Not Responsible for Debts.

ATEITHER the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt or Debts contracted by the Crew of the following Vessel during her stay in Hongkong Harbour: E. B. SULTON, American Ship, Captain

Butman.—Arnhold Karberg & Co.

LONDON AND ANTWERP, [BORNEO ....... About 30th] Freight and Via MARSEILLES ...... (Capt. G.W. Gondon, R.N.B.) January. Passage. AND YOKOHAMA ....... Capt. G. W. Cookman, R. N. n. } About Srd } Freight only.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.

CANADIAN



LUXURY-SPEED-PUNCTUALITY. The only Line that MAINTAINS a Regular Schedule Service of 11 Days across the Pacific is the 'EMPRESS LINE.' SAVING 5 TO 10 DAYS OCEAN TRAVEL.

	PACIFIC DAYS	YOKOHAM	A TO VA	NCUUV 18 D	ER.	KON	o To VA	ncouvi	er.
7	THENIA MONTEAG EMPRESS TARTAR .	PROPOSED SA  OF INDIA.  N  OF JAPAN  OF CHINA	6000 3882 6163 6000 4425	Tons Tons Tons Tons Tons Tons Tons	THURSDAY, WEDNESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, THURSDAY,	Feb. Feb. Feb. Mar. Mar. April	14 20 27 14 27	March March March March April	16 23 1 20

THE Quickest route to CANADA, UNITED STATES and EUROPE, calling at

SPECIAL RATES (first class only) granted to Missionaries, Members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic and Civil Services, and to European Officials in the Service of

(THE JAPAN MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY).

PROJECTED SAILINGS FR	OM HONGKONG-SUBJECT	TO ALTERATION,
DESTINATIONS.	STEAMERS.	SAILING DATES.
ANTWERP VIA	Onne To Murai, Tona 6161	WEDNESDAY, 20th Fob., at Daylight. WEDNESDAY, 6th
VICTORIA, B.C., AND	+ KAGA MARU, Capt. M. J. Curnow, Tone 6306 † TOSA MARU, Capt. K. Kato, Tone 5823	TUESDAY, 5th February, at 4 p.m.
Via MANILA, THURS-	NIKKO MARU, Capt. E. W. Haswell, Tons 5500 KUMANO MARU, Capt. N. Mathieson, Tons 5000	FRIDAY, 22nd

(THURSDAY, Slat BOMBAY, VIA SINGAPORE TOTOMI MARU, Capt. A. Keith, Tons 3400 AND COLOMBO. + Through Passenger Tickets issued to the Principal Cities in the United States, Capada and Europe, in connection with the GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY and Atlantic Steamers. Round-the-World Tickets also issued. Between Nagasaki and Yokohams, 1st and 2nd Class through Passengers have the option of travelling by Rail.

For further information as to Freight, Passage, Sailings, &c., apply at the Company's Local Branch Office in Prince's Buildings, First Floor, Chater Road,

BINGO MARU,

ROBE AND YOKOHAMA ... {Capt. F.L. Sommer, Tone 6200 }

A. S. MIHARA. Manager.

MONDAY,

28th January.

# STEAMSHIP COMPANY

Operating the New Twin Screw Steamships MINNESOTA - DAKOTA

28,000 TONS BETWEEN YOKOHAMA, KOBE, NACASAKI, SHANCHAI, HONG KONG And SEATTLE, U. S. A.

Sailing Dates Subject to Change. MINNESOTA, Captain C. F. AUSTIN. On TUESDAY, 1907.

On SATURDAY. Oaptain E. FRANCES..... 30th MARCH. 1907. Direct connections at Seattle with Great Northern and Northern Pacific Railways for all points in the United States and Canada; also with Atlantic Steamship Lines for all points in Great Britain and on the Con-

tinent. Direct connection at Hong Kong for Manila, Straits Settle-

ments, Java, India, London and Paris. QLUXURIOUS PASSENGER ACCOMMODATIONS-Suites and Statesooms (all outside rooms), Music room, Library, Smoking room, Numery, Laundry, Tele-Trans-Pacific Cabin penengers may travel by rail if desired between ports of Yoko-hama, Kobo and Negasaki, without extra charge. If For convenience of coastwise cabin passengers return bickets are interchangeable with

regular mail lines between Jepan, China and Hong Kong.

If For hall information regarding freight or passage apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA, Agents. Shipping,

PROPOSED SAILINGS OF MAIL STEAMERS FOR

### LONDON.

TAXING PASSENGERS AIRO YOR

COLOMBO, INDIA, AUSTRALASIA, EGYPT, BRINDISI, &c. THROUGH TICKETS ISSUED TO BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

STEAMERS to Colombo	Leave Hongkong	Connecting Steamers from Colombo to Manselles & London	Due at Marszittzs (Brindisi 2days earlier)	Due at PLYMOUTH— London 1 day later)
DELTA	Noon Sat'day Feb. 9 Feb. 23 Mar. 9 Mar. 23 Apr. 6 Apr. 6 Apr. 20 May 4 May 18	MONGOLIA 10000 BRITANNIA 7000 MAMORA 10500 Through to Marsellles and Lon- don, via Bombay. MOLDAVIA 10000 HIMALAYA 7000 VICTORIA 7000 INDIA 8000	Saturday, 1907 Mar. 9 Mar. 23 Apr. 6 Apr. 20 May 4 May 18 June 15 June 15	Saturday, 1907 Mar. 16 Mar. 20 Apr. 13 Apr. 27 May 11 May 25 June 8 June 22
1.21			- 1	

Passengers change steamers at Colombo, and those for Brindisi transfer also to the Express Mail Steamer at Pour Said Accommodation in the connecting steamer from Colombo is arranged in Hongkong at time of booking. In addition to the above Mail Steamers the following:-

INTERMEDIATE (NON-TRANSHIPMENT) STEAMERS

WILL LEAVE FOR

### LONDON,

CARRYING SALOON PASSENGERS AT REDUCED RATES.

		London
BORNEO 5000 JAVA 4500 NYANZA 7000 MANILA 4500 NILE 7000 JAPAN 4500	about Jan. 30 Feb. 13 Feb. 27 Mar. 27 April 10 April 24	about March 18 April 1 April 15 May 13 May 27 June 10

These Steamers call also at Singapore, Penang, Colombo, and at Malta or Marseilles.

\* Carries 1st and 2nd Saloon Passengers. + Carries only First Saloon Passengers. For further particulars, Apply to

E. A. HEWETT,

## HAMBURG-AMERIKA

PASSENGER SERVICE.

By the new steamers Rhenania, Hubsburg and Hohenstaufen. These steamers offer to the public the highest comfort yet attained in ocean travelling. They are especially built for the tropics with very large well ventilated cabins, amidship, lighted throughout by electricity, fans provided in each cabin. The berths are not arranged one above the other as it has been the fashion hitherto, but the staterooms closely resemble ordinary alceping rooms on shore, the berths standing like bods at-either side of the cabins. As a novelty, a number of cabins are provided for single passengers. These steamers call at Naples & Plymouth. In addition to the above steamers, the s.s. Silesia and Scandia carry first-class passengers, Return Tickets issued at reduced rates, through tickets issued to New York, via Naples, Southampton and Hamburg.

NEXT SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG.

Outward.	Homeward.
for Shanghai, Kebe & Yokohama.	for the Straits, Colombo, Aden, Suc. Port Said, Naples, Plymouth, Have
BCANDIA	and Hamburg.  SPEZIA
SCANDIA30th Jund.	t Call at Lisson.

BOSTON STEAMSHIP CO. DOSTON TOWBOAT CO. CONNECTING AT TACOMA WITH

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO.

- PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONOKONG FOR

VICTORIA B.C. AND TACOMA

VIA. MOJI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

To Sall. Sommers, E. V. Roberts........... February 5, 1907 SHAWMUT ..... T. W. Garlick ..... February 26, 1907. TREMONT .....

EXCELLENT ACCOMMODATION. ATTENDANCE AND ELECTRIC LIGHT, DOCTOR AND STEWARDESS.

The Twin-screw s.s. Shacomus and Tremont are fitted with very superior Accommodation for First and Second Class Passengers. The large size of these vessels engures steadiness at ses. Electric fan in each room. Barber's shop and steam launder. Cargo carried in cold storage.

PARCEL EXPRESS TO THE UNITED STATES AND CANADA. For further information Apply to

JEEN'S BUILDINGS.

Dodwell & Co., Limited, GENERAL AGENTS.

#### Shipping.

### PASSENGER SEASON 1907.

THROUGH STEAMER

COLOMBO AND BOMBAY.

### MACEDONIA

10500 Tons, CAPT. C. D. BENNETT, R. N.R.

Will be despatched at Noon on SATURDAY, the 23rd MARCH, and is due in Marseilles on the 20th April and London on the 27th April.

In addition to giving Passengers an opportunity of spending about 24 hours in BOMBAY this vessel will make a fast run to MARSEILLES and LONDON. The voyage from Hongkong to Marseilles should be completed in 28 days and to London in 35 days.

FARES TO MARSEILLES: Second Saloon, and to London £65 First and £44 Second | before the 29th January, 1907, or they will Saloon.

For further particulars, apply to E. A. HEWETT, Superintendent.

Hongkong, October 4, 1806.

### STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LD.

PROJECTED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION).

SHANGHAI, VIA SWATOW. KWONGSANG... SUNDAY.

\* These Steamers have superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers, and expenses. ara fitted throughout with Electric Light.

Wan Tao) and Yangtezo Ports. I Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to Kudat, Lahad Datu, Simporna, Tawao, Usukan, Jesselton and Labuan. For Freight or Passage, apply to

JARDINE. MATHESON & CO., General Managers.



REGULAR STEAM-SHIP SERVICE. BETWEEN BONGKONG, SOUTH CHINA COAST PORTS AND FORMOSA SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG-PROPOSED

BUBJECT TO ALTERATION. THE Co.'s S.S. LEAVING JOSHIN MARU. TAMSUI, VIA SWATOW 3 SUNDAY, 27th AND AMOY. Jan., at Daylight. Capt. H. OHTA,

SHANGHAI, Via SWATOW, TUESDAY, 29th SHOSHU MARU. AMOY AND FOOOHOW, Oapt. M. NEMOTO. Jan., at Daylight. \* These Steamers have excellent Accommodation for First and Second-class Passen gers, and are fitted throughout with Electric Light. First-class Saloon Amidships.

Unrivalled Table. + Taking Cargo on through Bills of Lading to all Yangtsze & Northern China Ports. For Freight, Passage and further information, apply at the Co.'s local Branch Office, at Second Floor, No. 1 Queen's Buildings.

T. ARIMA, Manager.

CHRISTIANITY WORTH INTRODUCING INTO CHINA Reprinted from the 'CHINA MAIL.' To be had at the 'CHINA MAIL' Office.

Wyndham Street. Price ... ... 50 Cents.

SELF CURE NO FICTION! MARVEL UPON MARVEL! NO SUFFERER NEED NOW DESPAIR.

but without running a doctor's bill or falling into the deep ditch of quackery, may safely, speedily and economically cure himself without the know-ledge of a second party. By the introduction of THE NEW PRENCH REMEDY THERAPION.

a complete revolution has been wrought in this de-partment of medical science, whilst thousands here been restored to health and happiness who far years previously had been morely dragging out a miserable existence. miserable existence.

Remedy for discharges from the uniasy ergant, superseding injection, the use of which does inteparable harm by laying the foundation of stricture and other actions diseases.

HERAPION NO. 2—A Sovereling injection, the use of which does inteparable harm by laying the foundations of stricture and other actions diseases.

HERAPION NO. 2—A Sovereling flems of the joints, and all those complaints which mercury and sarraparilla are popularly, but erronsensive and sarraparilla are popularly, but erronsensive mapposed to cure. This preparation parises all whole system through the blood and thoroughly eliminates all poisonous matter from the body.

HERAPION NO. 3—A Sovereling flems of the blood and thoroughly eliminates all poisonous matter from the body.

HERAPION NO. 3—A Sovereling from the body of the light of the blood and thoroughly for deality, nervousness, impaired witality, alsopiesmess, distants and incapancy for business or pleasure, love of solitude, blushing, indignation, pains in the back and head, and all those discretes resulting from early arver and those discretes are arresponded to the shoot and the same of the shoot and the shoot arresponded to overy package by order of His Majesty's Heaver and the shoot and the shoot arresponded to overy package by order of His Majesty at Heaver and the shoot arresponded to overy package by order of His Majesty at the sound of the shoot arresponded to overy package by order of His Majesty at the sound of the shoot arresponded to overy pac

For Sale by PRINCIPAL CHRHISTS.

THE .

THE LEADING NEWSPAPER THE IN SIAM

nd widely circulated in Malaya, Cochin China, the Straits Setslements.

and Burms.

DAILY NAWSPAPER, with a weekly Mal Edition (20 pp.)

Ticals 60 a year, WEEKLY, including postage, £2 p.a. Ticals 2, one insertion; Ticals 4 cents 50, three times; Ticals 6 cents 75 . week; Ticals 14 cents 47, a first month; subsequent months, Ticals 7 cents 23.

vergue FRATURE of the "Bangkol Times" is its Slamese version. Thus the advertisor is enabled to talk as it were with the Slamese in their own tongue without knowing one word of it, the "Bangkok Times" doing the translations required.
Literary communications should be addrossed to the Epiron. Business communications to the MANAGER. Cheonoe and Post Office Orders in favour of Maya, Bangkok Times."

### Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

SINCAPORE.

THE Steamship Gregory Apour having arrived from the above Ports, Consigned of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at once at Consignees risk and expense. Cargo remaining on board after 4 r.m. of the 26th Inst., 1908, will be landed at Consignees risk and expense into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongsons and Kow-took Whare and Godown Company,

Consignees of Carge from Singapore and Panane are requested to take immunitary delivery of their Goods from alongeids; and Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-Dieddah, Bangkok, Saigon, Shanghai, etc. alguede risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. DAVID SASSOON, & Co., Lb.,

Hongkong, January 24, 1907. NOTION TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMER TOURANE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. MONBIGNEES of Cargo from London business. ex s.s. Medoc from HAVRE

Informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks into the hazardous and/or extra hazar-dous Godowns of the Honoxone & Kow-

LOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY, LAD., at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consigness before Noon, To-DAY, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countereigned by the Undersigned, and Goods remaining unclaimed after TUESDAY, the 29th Janu-

£61 First and £42 ary, 1907, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All claims must be sent in to me on or not be recognized.

> No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, January 22, 1907. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE H.A.L. Steamship

Captain Baces, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-

eignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the hezardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of Hongkong and Kow loon Wharf and Godowo Company, Limits ed, and stored at Consignoss! risk and

All Claims must be presented within ten + Taking Cargo on Through Bills of Lading to Chefoo, Tienteln, (Via Ching days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted, after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 28th January, will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they

will be examined on the No Fire Insurance has been effected. HAMBURG-AMERIKA LINIE Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, January 21, 1907. 'BEN' LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES, STEAMSHIP BENVORLICH.

FROM LEITH, LONDON AND - STRAITS.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby in-U formed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Gonowns of the Hongkone and Kowloon Whan and Gonown Co., LIMITED, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods undelivered after the 29th inst. will be subject to rent,

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 4th February, or they will not be All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 29th inst., at

11 a.m. No Hire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, January 22, 1907. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STRAMER DRYANHA. FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being lauded and placed of their ruk in the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Gonowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and SUBSUMITION, DAILY (postage extra), delivery can be obtained as soon as the Ticals 60 a year. Goods are landed. This Vessel brings Cargo :---

From London, &c. ex s.s. Britannia. From PERSIAN GULF, ex s.s. B.LS.N. and B. & P.S.N. Co.'s steamers. Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before 6 Houns Goods not cleared by the 30th January, plication at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me any case whatever.

Godowns for examination by the Consignee's and the Company's representative at an appointed hour. days of the steamer's arrival here after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns.

E. A. HEWETT. Superintendent. Honokong, January 24, 1907.

### Banks.

EDERLANDSCH-INDISCH; HANDELSBANK. (NETHERLANDS INDIA COMMERCIAL BANK) ESTABLISHED 1863.

Fl. 15.000.000. (£1,250,000 CAPITAL UBSCRIBED Fl. 10, 000,000, (Pald up) Fl. 1.628.850.19 (£135.737. HEAD OFFICE: -AMSTERDAM.

SUB-OFFICE:—THE HAQUE.

HEAD AGENCY:—BATAVIA.

BRANCHES:—At Singapore, Sourabaya, Samarang, Indramajoo,—Bandoeng and Weltevreden.

The Williams Deacons Bank, Lo Swiss Bankveroin. Pants :- Comptoir National d'Escompto de Paris BEBLIN :- Deutsche Rank

BRUSSRIS :- Banque de Paris et des Pays VIENNA !-- Union Bank

Rome :- Banca Commerciale Italiana THE BANK buys and solls and receives Letters of Credit; payable in all important places of the world, and transacts every description of Banking and Exchange

On Current Account at the rate of 2% ex s.s. Medoc; from Bordsaux On Current Account at the rate of 2% ax s.s. Ville de Marseilles, in conper annum on the daily balances.

Description with above Steamer, are hereby On fixed Deposits 12 months 4% per annum 6 do. 34% do.-

No. 16, DES VŒUX ROAD CENTRAL J. BOETJE, Manager. Hongtong, November 1, 1906.

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA AUSTRALIA, AND OHINA. INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1859. HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID-UP ... ... £800,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-RESERVE FUND ...

INTEREST allowed on Current Account All damaged packages will be examined at the rate of 2 % per annum on the Daily on TUESDAY, the 29th January, 1907, at balances, On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4. 2

T. P. COOHRANE Hongkong, May 17, 1908.

YOUGHAMA SPECIE BANK LIMITED, RETABLISHED 1880.

OAPITAL SUBSCRIBED ... Yen 24,000,000 CAPITAL PAID-UP ... CAPITAL UNCALLED ... RESERVE FUND COP CIAL RESERVE FUND.

HEAD OFFICE-YOUGHAMA. BRANCHES AND AGRICIES : NACABARL LONDON. SAN FRANCISCO. HONOLULE, BOMBAY. DALNY. PERING. PORT ARTHUR. CHEROO. TIE-LING.

LCNDON BANKERS The London Joint Stock Bank, Limited, Parr's Bank, Limited. The Union of London and Smiths Bank, Limited.

On Current Account at the Rate of 22 per annum on the daily balance. On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per On fixed deposits for 6 months, 4% per On fixed deposits for 8 months, 8% per

HONGKONG BRANCH-Interest allowed.

TAKEO TAKAMICHI. Manager. Hongkong, September 22, 1906

TTONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. RESERVE FUND Sterling Reserve, \$10,000,000

Silver Reserve ... 10,250,000 -\$20,250,000 RESERVE LIABILITY OF \$10,000,000 PROPRIETORS .....

COURT OF DIRECTORS :-A. HAUPT, Esq.-Chairman. G. H. MEDHURST, Esq. -- Deputy Chairman D. M. Nissim, Esq. G. Balloch, Esq. Hon, Mr W. J. Gres. R. Shewan, Esq. N. A. Blo Esq. C.R. Lenzmann, Esq. H. E. Tou ns, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER:

ACTING MANAGER: Shanghai - W. ADAMS ORAM. LONDON BANKHER-LONDON AND COUNCI BANKING Co., LD.

Hongkong-J. R. M. SMITH.

Hongkong—Interest Allowed. On Ourrent Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance, OH FIXED DEPOSITS :--For 3 months 24 per cent per annum.

.. 19 J. R. M. SMITH,

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

Hongkong, January 12, 1907.

THE business of the above Bank is con ducted by the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA. Fixed Deposits 12 months 41% por Annum. PION. Rules may be obtained on ap-

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 34 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors Damaged Packages must be left in the lasy transfer at their option balances of 8100 or more to the HONGKONG AND DREACHING THE GUSPEL SHANGRAI BANK, to be placed on All claims must be presented within ten FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER OF IT. per

For the Hongkong and Shanghal Banking Corporation J. R. M. SMITH. Ohief Manager Hongkong, January 12, 1907.

NK OF TAIWAN

(IMPORTORATED BY SPECIAL IMPERIAL

AUTHORISED CAPITAL ..... YEN 5,000,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL .....YEN 2,500,000. TRAD OFFICE :- TAIPEH, FORMOSA.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES: Nagasaki Tament. Osaka. Tokio. Shanghal. Yokohama

HONGKONG OFFICE:

3, Drs Voux Road.

Interest allowed on Current Account. Deposits received on terms which may be learnt on application. D. TOHDOW, Monager.

Hongkong, October 3, 1906. HE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA. LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE :- HONGKONG. AUTRORISED CAPITAL .....£699,470

PAID-UP CAPITAL .....£242,718 CAPITAL RESERVE FUND .....£ 12,785 RESERVE FUND. LONDON BRANCH: 61, OLD BROAD STREET, E.C. MANAGER :- GROEGE MUNEO.

LONDON BANKERS :-

Parr's Bank. Commercial Bank of Scotland. The Bank grants drafts and telegraphic transfers and conducts every description of Eastern Banking business. INTEREST allowed on Current Account at the Rate of 2% per annum on the Daily

On Fixed Deposits for 12 month 5 per cent. G. O. MOXON.

Managing Director.

Hongkong, September 28, 1906. 802 INTERNATIONAL BANKING

FISCAL AGENTS OF THE UNITED STATES IN OHINA, THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS AND THE REPUBLIC-OF PANAMA. CAPITAL AND SURPLUS

AUTHORISED, ......GOLD \$10,000,000 RESERVE FUND......GOED \$ 3,250,000 HEAD OFFICE-NEW YORK. LONDON OFFICE TRREADNEEDLE HOUSE.

LUNDON BANKERS: BANK OF ENGLAND. National Provincial Bank of England, Ltd. The Capital and Counties Bank, Ltd.

BRANCHES & AGENTS ALL OVER THE WORLD, THE Corporation Transacts every de-scription of Banking and Exchange business, receives money in Current Ac-count at the rate of 2% per annum on daily balances and accepts Fixed Deposits at the

following rates : - r ..... - For 12 months 41 per cent per aunum 4 per cent per annum. , 3 per cent per annum. No. 9, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL. HONGKONG.

UHAS. R. SCOTT. Manager. Hongkong, January 3, 1907.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF

INDIA, LIMITED. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....£1,500,000 SUBSCRIBED .....£1,125,000 RESERVE FUND.....£ 135,990 BANKERS:

LONDON JOINT STOOK BANK, LIMITED. INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily ON FIXED DEPOSITS :-

E. ORMISTON. Manager. Hongkong, April 31, 1908.

MAATSCHAPPIJ. (NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY) ESTABLISHED 1834.

NTEDERLANDSCHE

CAPITAL

RESERVE FUND Fl. 5,000,000 (£ 417,000). HEAD OFFICE IN AMSTERDAM. BEAD AGENCY :- BATAVIA. BRANCHES :- Singapore, Penang Shanghai, Rangoon, Samarang, Sourabaya, Chbribon, Tegal, Pecalongan, Pascercean, Tjilatjap, Pudang, Medan (Deli), Palembang, Kota-Radja, (Acheen) Telok-Semawa, (Acheen) Bandjermasin,
Correspondents at Macassar, Bombay, Colombo, Madras, Pondicherry, Calcutta,

...FL 45,000,000 (£3,750,000).

Bangkok, Sa.gov, Haipliong, Hanoi, Amoy, Yokohama, Kobe, Melbourne, Sydney, New York, San Francisco, &c., &c. LONDON BANKERS :- The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Limited. The Bank buys and soils and receives for collection Bills of Exchapge, issues letters of credit on its Branches and correspondents in the East; on the Continent in Great

sacts banking business of every description. INTEREST ALLOWED On Current Accounts 2% per Annum on 6 months 4 % Do. 3 months 31% Do. T L. ENGEL, Agent.

Britain, America, and Australia, and trah;

JAPAN AND TIBET!

Hengkong, February 28, 1906.

By Prof. E. H. Pinne. On sale at the 'ORINA MAIL UMes. . Wyndham Street.

Pricesan sper services \$1.00

Order bucked by MANAGER, Chino

ACRETE.

DATE OF LEAVING

#### FAINT PRAISE.

Miss Koy - Of course he stays rather late, but then I'm sure he's in love with Miss Chellus -- Yes, but you won't have any reputation left if he doesn't stop talking about you so scandalously.

Miss Koy-The idea ! What does he say about me? Miss Chellus-He's telling everybody that you are 's as good as you are pretty. -Philadelphia Press.

#### WEATHER REPORT.

The following notice is issued by Mr Figg of the Hongkong Observatory:-On the 26th at 11.58 a .- The barometer has risen over E. Japan, and fallen over

Water

Transit O

weekly dressings of

Cuticura, purest and sweet-

est of emollients, at once

stop falling hair, remove

crusts, scales, and dandruff,

destroy hair parasites, soothe

irritated, itching surfaces,

stimulate the hair follicles.

loosen the scalp skin, supply

the roots with energy and

nourishment, and make the

hair grow upon a sweet,

wholesome, healthy scalp,

To-day's Advertisements

ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL,

holders and Subscribers will be held

COLONIAL NURSING

ASSOCIATION.

L' of this Branch of the Association will

be held in the CITY HALL, on WEDNES.

the Committee for the 15 months ending

M. W. PIGGOTT.

Hongkong Branch of the Colonial

Nursing Association.

OFFICER, H.M. Naval Yard, until Noon

WATERPROOF CLOTHING.

Forms of Tender and any necessary in

formation may be obtained on application.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF

HONOKONG.

IN BANKRUPTOY.

Notice of Receiving Order and First

General Meeting of Oreditors.

No. 1 of 1907.

Re THE TORG TAX Firm, lately carrying

Receiving Order dated the 21st day of

Petition dated the 2nd day of January,

TARIDAY, the 1st day of February,

1 1907, at 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon

precisely, has been fixed for the First

General Meeting of Creditors in the above

Matter, to be held at the Official Re-

colver s Office, Laud Office, Queen's Road

No Creditor can vote unless he previous.

Forms of Proof and Proxy can be obtain-

At the First General Meeting, the

Creditors will be asked to consider whether

the Debtors shall be adjudged Bankrupts or

whether they, the Creditors, will entertaln

a proposal for a Composition or Scheme of

Dated this 25th day of January, 1907.

G. H. WAREMAN.

Official Receiver & Trustee.

ed at the Official Receiver's Office during

Central, Victoria aforesaid.

ly proves his debt.

Hongkong, Traders.

January, 1907.

on business at No. 92, Wing Lot

Street, Victoria, in the Colony of

The right to r ject the lowest or any

F. I. GELSTHORPE.

Deputy Victualling Store Officer,

FROZEN MEAT.

SOFT BREAD.

CEYLON TEA.

SUN HATS.

Tender is reserved.

H. M. Naval Yard.

Honokong, January 26, 1807

BISOUIT.

FLOUR.

RICE.

SUGAR.

FRESH BEEF AND VEGETABLES

Hongkong, January 26, 1907.

Hon. Secretary.

DAY, the 30th January, 1907, at 5 P.M.

Hengkong, January 28, 1907.

when all else fails.

China and Formoss. Pressure is highest over the N. part of the Sea of Japan. It is low over China, where a depression appears to be forming. Gradients are slight generally, and light E. and S.E. winds may be expected in the Formosa Channel and light monsoon over the N. part of the China Sea.

Hongkong Bainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.36 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon

FORECAST DISTRICT. 1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood; to S.E. winds, light; cloudy, misty. 2. Formosa Channel: Same as No. 1. 8 .- South coast of China between Hongkong and Lamocks: Same as No. 1. 4. South coast of China between Hongkong and Hainan : Same as No. 1.

VERBELS AT THE DOOKS. - At Kousloom, Borsogon, Montesgle, Fronde, Z Y. de Aldecoa, Perle, Prinz Waldemar, H.M S. Whiting, Kwongchow, Kaifong, Lokin, Empress of India, Tai On.

Compolitan-Petrarch, Peng Fei, Tiibodas. Aberdeen - Powan, Indradeo.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27th, 1907.

CHURCH SERVICES.

St. John's Cathedral.

SUNDAY, SEPTUAGESIMA. Holy Communion (7.30 a.m.).

Matins (11 v.m.) Responses, Festival; Venite, Hine; Pakims, of the 27th morning; Te Deum, Lawes, Cooke and Hopkins: Benedictue, Langdon; Hymns, 33.

228 and 83 Evensong (5.45 p.m.) Responses, Festival; Psalms, of the 27th evening; Magnificat and Nunc THE ANNUAL MEETING of Seat-Wesley in F; Anthem, "From all 'that dwell."-Walmisley; at ST PAU's COLLEGE, on TUESDAY, 489 (Tune 46) and 477 : 29th of January, at 5.15 P.M.

Sevenfold Amon. Voluntaries, Meditation Torcata, E. d'Evry. P.S .- Psalm 120, 122, Bethoven, 121, 123, 124, Garrett. Psalm 126. Verses 1, 2, 7, in unison; Psalm THE HONGKONG BRANCH OF THE 127, Verses 1, 2, 6, in unison : Psalm 128, Verses 5, 6, 7, in unison; Pealm 129, Verses 1, 2, 5, 6, in unison; Pealm 130, Verses 1, 2, 7, 8, in THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING unison, and G P of Psalm 131.

#### St Andrew's Church. (Robinson Road, Kowloon).

Sundays :--Holy Communion on 1st Sunday of month | December 31st, 1906; to pass the Hon. at noon. On 2nd and 4th Sundays at Treasurer's Accounts, and to elect a new 8 a.m. On 3rd and 5th Sundays at 7 Committee and Officers for the ensuing

Morning prayer and cormon :-- 11 a.m. Evening prayer and sermon :-- 6 p.m. On 3rd Sundays, Children's Service at p.m. Holy Buptisms on 3rd Sundays at the afternoon service. (Previous notice not necessary) At other times. only by special appointment. Churchings before or after any service as

may be arranged. Wednesdays :- at 5 p.m. Short Evening Service with Address; Congregational Practice of Hymns, &c., at 0.45 p.m.

Union Church, Kennedy Road. Minister :- Rev. C. H. Hickling. 11 a.m.: - Worship, Hymn 123, Psalm

23, Anthem Jesu, Word of God Incarnate' (Gounod), Hymns 67, 240. 12 noon :- Communion around the Lord's on THURSDAY, the 28th February Table. Hymn, 415. 4 p.m .: - Sunday School at Union Church,

in British School, Kowloon, and at Quarry Bay (3.30)

6 p.m.:—Worship, Hymn 353, Psalm 138, Hymns 507, 226, 565.

Wednesday 6 p.m.:-Service, with address by the Pastor.

Thursday 9 pm.:-Literary Club. Lecture by Rev. T. W. Pearce 'The Beginning the Protestant Propaganda in Friday 3.30 p.m. :- Ladies' Working Party.

8 p.m.: - Ohristian Endeavour Society, Subject :- Believing in the Lord Jeaus Christ.

St. Peter's Church, Queen's Road West.

SEPTUAGESINA SUNDAY. Morning Prayer 11 a.m. Venite, Hine; To Deum, Woodward;

Benedictus, Troutbeck; Hymns, 158, 172, 522, 540. Evening Prayer 6.30 p.m. Cantate, Crotch; Daus, Hopkins; Hymns, 170, 176, 196, 229.

Holy Communion (7.45 p.m.). The Church launch "Dayspring" will call on ships carrying white crews to bring friends ashore to the services between 9.15 and 10.80 a.m. and between 5.15 and 6 p.m. (Kowloon Police Pier 10.80 and 6), returning afterwards; The "answering pennant" is the Call flag. All the sittings are free and unappropriated. Visitors welcome. Books &c., provided. Sunday School 10-10.45 s.m.

Wesleyan Church, Wanchai. Order of Sunday Services: -Morning :- 10.15.

Evening :-- 6. Afternoon Sunday School 8 o'clock. Soldiers' and Sallors' Home, Arsenal Street.

Sunday ovening 8 p.m. Books provided-seats free-a hearty welcome.

Peak Church. Holy Communion :-- 8 a.m.

Deutsche Kirche. Cottendienst :- um 11 Uhr. in Bethesd Kapelle, Caine Road.

Christian Science Services. York Buildings, Chater Road.—Sunday 11.15 a.m.; Wednesdays, 5.30 p.m.

St Joseph's Church. Men. Sermon (English) and Benediction at 10 a.m.

### To-day's Advertisements

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

AND TUESDAY, MONDAY SATURDAY. the 2nd, 4th and 5th FEBRUARY, 1907, commencing each day at 2 p.m., at his C. M. S. N. Co. SALES ROOMS, DUDDELL STREET,-

A Magnificent Collection of JAPANESE ART CURIOS AND SILK EMBROIDERIES

Comprising :--PORCELAIN .- Very Fine SATSUMA, KINKOBAN, IMARI and KUTAMI, etc. BRONZES. - OLD JARS, FLOWER VASES and FIGURES, etc. OLOISONNES -A Choice Lot of VASES, INCENSE JARS in SILVER, etc. WOOD CARVINGS .- Very Old TEMPLE RAMMAS, SHRINES and FIGURES, etc. IVORY .- BEAUTIFULLY CARVED FIGURES, etc. SILKS, -OLD TEMPLE and PALACE HANGINGS, DRAPERIES, BROCADES, COURT KIMONOS,

TABLE CLOTHS, BEDSFREADS, CCSHION COVERS, etc., etc. PIOTURES. - SILK EMBROIDERED and COT VELVET, etc., AND A QUANTITY OF OTHER CURIOS: Some Pieces or CHINESE PORCELAIN and BRONZES. (N.B.)-The above collection of about 1200 Lots arrived from Krozo and will be

WITHOUT RESERVE. A rare opportunity for Collectors. TERMS :-- As usual. Catalogues will be issued. GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Hongkong, January 26, 1907.

THE HOR. MR F. H. MAY, C.M.G., will DISTRIBUTE PRIZES to suc-College on TUESDAY, 29th inst., at 12 FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,

STEPHEN'S COLLEGE.

Hangkong, January 26, 1907.

woo

TAILOR, DRAPER AND OUTFITTER H AS REMOVED to new premises, 14, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, January 26, 1907.

CECOND HAND ELECTRIC LIGHT FITTINGS for 5 Rooms and 3 Verandabe. F. A. W. Care of 'CHINA MAIL' Office. Cuticurs floap combines delicate medicinal and entollient properties derived from Cuticurs, the great skin
Cure, with the purert of cleansing ingredients and the
most regreshing of flower odors. London Depot: F.
Newberry & Sons, Lid., 27 Charterhouse Sq. Potter Drug
& Chem. Corp., Sole Props., Boston, Mass., U. H. A.

Ext. Majled Free, Willow to Care for the Skin, Scalp.
Hair, and Hands.

FOR SALE.

Hongkong, January 26, 1907. WANTED TO BUY.

YOPIES of No. 8 of the New WEERLY; covers not necessary ; copies must be plean. 40 cents will be paid for acceptable Send to . 'CHIMA MAIL' Office.

Hongkong, November 29, 1906.

A. BRYER. Hon. Secretary.

Very Fine

BUSINESS :- To receive the Report of -\$2 Each.

Hongkong, January 26, 1907.



PUBLIC AUCTION.

NAVY CONTRACTS, 1907-8. THE Undersigned have received instruct Mr L. F. Campbell tions from the CAPTAIN SUPERIN- Mr G. L. Carlisle CIEALED TENDERS, in duplicate, for the Supply of the undermentioned TENDENT OF POLICE, to Sell by Public Mr and Mrs W. L. Mr A. G. Newington Stores for H. M. Naval Forces on the Auction, China Station, will be received by the

DEPUTY VIOTUALLING STORE WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the S0th and 31st January, 1907, commencing each day at 11 A.M., at the Central Police Station's Compound, and at the Tsim-Tsa-Tsui Police Station,

Kowloon, respectively,— 8 U N D R Y UNCLAIMED AND CONFISCATED

GOODS,

CHINESE CLUTHING, BLANKETS, PIECE GOODS, SALT FISH INDIGO DRIED LICHEES and Lung-Noans, MATCHES, CHINESE PAPER. BLACKWI OD WARE, TOBACCO, WAX, CHINTER UMBRELLIE, CHINESE CANDLES, RATTAN, MATTING, VERMILLION, &c., &c.,

A Quantity of Gold and Silven JEWELLERY. Mr J. Coultbart TERMS :-- As usual, HUGHES & HOUGH,

Government Auctioneers. Hongkong, January, 26, 1807. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, WEDNESDAY

the 30th January, 1907, commencing at Mr H. Fairburn 11 A.H., at 'GREENCHOFT,' ROBINSON ROAD, Kowloon,-THE WHOLE OF THE

VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, (Full Particulars from Catalogue). On View from Tuesday, the 29th Jan. TERMS :- Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, January 26, 1907.



Cover, to Sell by Public Auction, WEDNESDAY, he 80th January, 1907, at 2.30 P.M., at

The Occidental Hotel, Elgin Road, Kowloon,-THE GOODS AND UHATTELS. Comprising :-SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS :- As usual, HUGHES & HOUGH. Government Auctioneers. Hongknog, January 28, 1907.

#### SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

January 25, Antilochus, British steamer, 5,796, G. D. Keay, Tacoma, U.S.A., Dec. 26, General, BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Meefoo, Chinese str., 1,338, John Mo-

Arthur, Shanghai January 22, General .-Johanne, German steamer, 952, Ipland Deli Jan. 9, Penang 11, Singapore 15, and Haiphong 24, General.—JEBREN & Co.

January 26, Shochu Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,811 M. Nemoto, Shanghai, via Foochow, Amoy and Swatow Jan. 25, General.-O. S. K. Spezia, German steamer, 4,148, Malchow, Shanghai Jan. 24, General. - HAMBURG

AMERIKA LINIE. Bingo Maru, Japaneso str., 3,873, F. L. Sommer, Antwerp Dec. 9, and Singapore Jan. 21, General. - NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Chipshing, British steamer, 1.199, G. S.

JABDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hopsang, British etr., 1,359, J. M. Hay, Shanghai Jan. 22, and Swatow 25, General. -JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Kuongsang, British str., from Canton. Kowloon, German str., from Canton.

DEPARTURES. January 25. Changehow, for Swatow.

Areadia, for Europe, &c. Diomed. for Shanghai. Triumph, for Haiphong. Yahiko Maru, for Java. Loyal, for Saigon. Captain J. S. ROACH, will be despatched Empire, for Manila and Australia. for the above Ports TO-MORROW (SUN-Rubi, for Manila,

Mausang, for Sandakan. Nord, for Salgon, Meefoo, for Canton. Anghin, for Bangkek. Fukura Maru, for Mojl, Chiquen, for Shanghai, Ulv. for Saigon.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, NOTICE.

FOR KUDAT AND SANDAKAN. Taking Cargo at Through Rates to TAWAO, LAHAD DATU, LABUAN, JOLO, MENADO AND ZAMBOANGA.

THE Steamship Osptain F. SEMBILL (ready to load on Uhunsang, for Hongay, the 28th Jan.) will leave on TUESDAY, Liangchow, for Sandakan. the 29th January. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Auctioneer.

POSTPONEMENT,

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

·LIMITED.

THE Company's Steamship

DAY, the 27th January, at 9 a.m.

Hongkorg, January 26, 1936,

For Freight or Passago, apply to

DOUGLAS, LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD, MELOHERS & CO., Hongkong, January 26, 1907.

VISITORS AT HOTELS.

HONGKONG HOTEL. Hon, E. A. Hewett Mr P R. Adams Mr G. Apcar andMrs E. A. Hewett Mr W. H. Hill Mrs R, F. Alsop Mr A. W. Hippe S. Mr R: Hunter Mr and Mrs W. Mr & Mrs F. Ingold Mr P. Barentzen Capt. R. Innea Mr H. G. Battiscombo Mr J. P. F. Jokl Mr R. B. Beattie Dr and Mrs E, Evan-

Mr J. Bernhard Mr J. C. Joughin Miss M. Berthet Mr A. Van Bierellet, Mr T. Krill (Vice Consul forMr P. Kunze Belgium M. P. Lehra Mr R. J. Birbeck Mrs A. L. Lloyd da Silva, Sister L Siqueirs, Mr Watt, Mr Mr & Mrs S. Bisney Mr & Mrs W. Logan J. Wilkins, and Miss J. C. Wilson. Mr T. H. Long Miss S. Bisney Mr and Mrs N. F.Mr and Mrs C. R

Manville & Indian Blanch Mr K. Block Dr O. Marriott Mr G. Blood Mr and Mrs W. W. Mr H. Mauve Mr C. Merten Brower Mr F. G. Brighton Dr and Mrs W. B. A. Mr&MraL Broughall Moore Mrs C. M. Bullen Mr S. Moore Mr and Mrs R. Neish Mr J. H. Bulmer Mr and Mra R. H Newborn

Mr H. F. Nietert Carter Mra Nunn Mr A. Carter Major A. Chapman, Mr A. Nygnard Mr A. E. Paine Mr B. F. Chapman Mr W. Peake Hon, Mr and Mrs W. Mr. and Mrs T. L. Perkins Chatham Miss Chatham Mr A. R. Von de Maj. A. A. Chichester, Pfordton D. A. A.G., D.S.O. Mr L. D. Philpot

Mrs A. A. ChichesterMr J. B. Picton Mr M. O. Clark Mr W. A. Powell Mr and Mrs T. W.Mr C. M. Preshaw Mr H. Pritchard Eng. Lt. & Mrs Clegg, Mr H. J. Reld Mr T. Riecken Mr and Mrs C. J.Mr U. B. Ripley

Mrs J. S. Roach and For Mr H. J. Coloham child Mr H. E. Colvin Mr G. Roenitz Mr J. L. Connor Mr S. B. Rowoldt Mr and Mrs N. H Mr A. H. Crook Rutherford Mr R. O. Rutherford Mr A., Cruickshank Mr F. O. Davies Miss F. E. Sandes Mr W. H. Donald Roy. G. Searle Mr F. H. Doolittle. Mr and Mrs E. Bruce

Mr and Mrs W. A. Shapherd Mr A. Skinn Mr and Mrs T. C.Mr J. S. Spittles Downing and infantMr W. T. Stebbing Mr G. A. Dunlop Mr H. Stephens Mr W. S. Dupree Mr P. D. Sutherland Mr W. Einstmann Mr and Mrs M. I Thompson Mr. H. J. Fairchlid Miss H. M. Thompson Mr Th. Toledano Mr R. Fischer Mr H. G. Fisher Mr H. J. Topliss Mr G. J. M. F emyngMr C. Tredwen

Mr H. L. Fletcher Mr W. Von Uffel Mr C. H. Unbehaun Mr F. H. Forde Mr C. B. Franklin Miss Ventris Mrs M. Wakefield Mr B. L. Frost Stuart J. Fuller (Ame-Mr C. E Watkins rican Vice-ConsulMr H. Wilkinson General) Mr L. J. Winhart Mr Donman Fuller Mr J. B. Wisharb Mr. A. W. Grant Mr G. G Wood

Capt, T. Hall

Dr L. Arnould

Mrs Karel and child

NEW CONNAUGHT HOTEL

Mr J. A. Young

Mrs J. C. Kimdson

tions from The RECIETRAR. SUPREMS Mr G. W. Avenell Dr J. Love and wife Mrs L. Lielbgold Miss R. Barber Mr and Mrs Barbey Dr J. Massumana and Mr E. W. Bauckham wife Mr and Mrs F. BerryMr J. Murchia Mr. F. J. Bottinger Mr J. Pead and wife Mrs J. Chapman Mr J. F. Quim Mc J. O. Coles Mr Ramadale & wife Mr H. M. T. DelouneMr and Mrs S. Mr E. E. P. Ersking Smith Mr Artiran S. Smith Mr H. Evra Misa E. Gerhart Mr P. Stopps Miss J. Garhart Mr Charles A. Vall Mc W. A. Haunibao Mr and Mra A. F. Mr E. Hope Weis Mr J. E. Joseph Mr J. Wilkins

### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

VESSELA.

DESTINATION.

Bremen, v. Ports of call Prinz Hainrich (a) Melchers & Co....... Jan. 30, at Noon. Bremen.v. ports of call Gueisenau (8) ... Cebu & Iloilo...... Sungkiang (a) Fiume, Trieste, &c .... China (a)..... Japan & Portland, Or Arabia (a) Japan & Portland, Or. Aragonia (8) Kudat, Sandakan, &c. Borneo (8) ....... Marseilles, L'don, &c. Borneo (\*) Marseilles, London &c. Java (a) ..

Manila, A'lian Ports,... Taiyuan (8) ..... Manila, A'lian Ports ... Manila (a)...... Marseilles, v. Saigen. Oceanien (s) ..... . Zafiro (s).... Maplia Weigail, Bangkok January 19, Rice,-Rabi (a) ..... Yuensang (s)..... Manila ..... Taming (s)... Naples, Havre, H'burg. Spezia (s) ......

Shaohsing (s).....

Swatow and Shanghai Kwongsang (e) ......

Naples, Havre, H'burg, Silesia (6) ...... Naples, Havre, H'burg, Sambia (8) ..... 

January 26. S'hal, Kobe & Y'hama Scandia (s)..... S'hal, Kobe & Y'ms... Habsburg (s)..... S'pore, O'bo, & B'bay, Totomi-Maru (a) ..... B'hai, Moji, Kobe, Y'ma Gregory Apcar (6)..... D. Sassoon & Co, Ld Jan. 29, at Noon. 

Laisang, for Singapore and Calcutta. Hangchow, for Tsingtau.

CLEARED. Hailan, for Swatow. Perla, for Haiphong. Yunnan, for Saigon. Hailan, for Hoihow. Derwent, for Saigon. Pitsinulak, for Swatow. Ichang, for Swatow. Hongkong, for Haiphong. Joshin Maru, for Swatow. Kicongiang, for Swatow. Murepi, for Shanghai. Protector, for Cape Varella.

PASSENGERS.

For Hopsing, from Shanghai, &c., M. Hetherington, Per Meefoo, from Shanghai, Mr Zincovich.-Per Bingo Maru, from London, &c. : for

Hongkong, Mesars H. J. Hay, T. Honjo, Linton, G. McLean, Y. Hoshino, and Miss DEPARTED.

M. Mendes and 2 children, Mr F. Miguel, and child, Rev. S. M. A. da Silva, Mr M.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. Mails will close:-

For MACAO. Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Menday, the 28th Jan. For SWATOW & BANGKOK .-

Per Prometheus, at 2 p.m., on Monday, the 28th Jan. For KUDAT & SANDAKAN.-Per Bornéo, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday, the

29th Jan. For SHANGHAL MOJI, KOBE YUKOHAMA.-Per Gregory Apcar, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, the 29th Jan.

For MANILA .-. Per Taming, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 29th Jan. For SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE & YOKO HAMA.

Per Tibodas, at 4 p.m., on Tuesday, the For SHANGHAL .-Per Shaohsing, at 3 p.m., on Friday,

the lat Feb. MANILA, SIMPSONHAFEN FRIEDRICH WILHELMSHAFEN HERBERTSHOHE. MATUPI BRISBANE, SYDNEY, HOBART. LAUNCESTON, NEW ZEALAND MELBOURNE, ADELAIDE

PERTH.-Per Manila, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 2nd Feb.

For MANILA .-Per Zafiro, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 2nd Feb.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Mongolio will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 29th January, with Mails for Shanghai, Japan, Hanolulu, San Francisco, United States, Canada, Pera, &c., which will be closed at follows: Printed Matter and Samples at 10 a.m.

Registration at 10 a.m. Registration, with late fee of 10 center ip to 10.46 p.m. Registration, Kowloon B.O., 10 a.m. No late fee.

Lotters at 11 a.m.

(Supplementary Mail on board up to the time fixed for departure of the mail Extra Postage 10 cents.)

ready and on sale at this Office, and all the British Postal Agencies in China. Money Letters.—The Post Office Ohlna Light and Power Company ... 50,00" S colines all responsibility for unregistered Steam Laundry Company, Limited... 20,000 S declines all responsibility for unregistered Letters containing bank notes of jawellery,

A Mail for Macao is despatched per as. Sui An on week-days at 6 p.m. On Sunday the mail for Maono is closed

of such letters (Postal Guide 121.)

Mails for \*Canton. \* WUCHOW and "Samenut will be closed on week-days at 7.30 a.m., and at 6 p.m., until further

Melchers & Co..... Feb. 13, at Noon. Butterfield & Swire ... | Feb. 5. 4 p.m. Sander, Wieler & Co. Jan. 31, p.m. Portland & A. S. Co., February 11. Portland & A. B. Co. March 4. Melchers & Co...... January 29. Kobe and Yokohama Tsinan (e) ...... Butterfield & Swire ... Feb. 12, at 4 p.m. Kobe & Yokohama Bingo Maru (s)...... Nippon Yusen Kaisha, January. 28. London and Antwerp Glamorganshire (a) ... Shewan, Tomes & Co About Feb. 20. P. & O. S. N. Co ..... About Jan. 30. .. P. & O. S. N. Co..... Ahout Feb. 13 Mar., L'don, A'erp, &c. Wakasa Maru (s) ..... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. February 6. Manila, A'lian Ports... Nikko Maru (8) ..... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Feb. 22, at Noon. Butterfield & Swire. Feb. 11, at 4 p.m. Melchers & Co........ Feb. 2, at Noon. Messageries Maritimes Feb. 5, at 1 p.m. Shewan, Tomes & Co Feb. 2, at Noon. Shewan, Tomes & Co Feb. 9. at Noon. Jardine Matheson & Oc Feb. 1, at 4 p.m. Butterfield & Swire Jan. 29, at 4 p.m. Hamburg-Am ka Livie January 27. Hamburg-Am'ka Linie February 8. Hamburg-Am'ka Linie February 15: Dodwell & Co. Limito | February 9. San Francisco v. Ports Dakota (s)..... Shewan, Tomes & Co. About Feb. 25. San Francisco v. Japan Hongkong Maru (s) ... Toyo Kisen Kaisha .... Mar, 5, at Noon. Seattle, v. S'hai, Japan Minnesota (8)...... Nippon Yusan Kaisha. February 19. S'hal, N'ki, Kobe Y'ma Preussen (s) ...... Melchers & Co....... About Jan. 30. S'hal, N'ki, Kobe Y'ma. Prinzess Alice (s) ..... Melchers & Co...... About Feb. 13. Hamburg-Am'ka Linie February 6. Hamburg-Am'ka Linit March 3.

#### SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Victoria, B.C., Tacoma Tremont (a) ...... Dodwell & Co. Limited February 26,

S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Joshin Maru (8) ..... Usaka Shosen Kaisha. Jan. 27, Daylight,

S tow, Amoy & Foodbow Shoshu Maru (s) ..... Osaka Shosen Kalaha... Jan. 29, Daylight, S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Haltan (s) ...... Douglas Lapraik & Co. Jan. 27, at 9 a.m.

Victoria, B.O., Seattle Kaga Maru (s) ........ Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Feb. 5, at 4 p.m.

Vancouver, (B.C.), &c., Empress of India (s)... Canadian P'fic R. Co., Feb. 14, at 4 p.m.

Vancouver. (B.C.), &c. Athenian (s) ........ Canadian P'fic R. Co. Feb. 20, at Noon.

Vancouver, (B.C.), &c. Monteagle (s) ......... Canadian P'fic R. Co. Feb. 27, at Noon.

Nippon Yusen Kaisha. January 31.-

Butterfield & Swire .. Feb. 1, at 4 p.m.

Jardino, Matheson&Co Jan. 27, Daylight.

January 26, 1907. Closing Quotations. No. of Value, Stocks. Shares. \$935, seilers Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp. 80,000 8 Vational Bank of China, Limited ... 99,925 2 all London, £107 7 £ 6 849, boyers MARINE INFURANCES. lanton Insurance Office Co,, Ed. ... 10,000 8 Thins Traders Insurance Co., Ld. 24,000 8 250 | 100 | 2800, cales 100 | 60 | 81571, sales FIRE INSURANCES. Ohina Fire Insurance Co., Ed. 20,000 & Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ed. 8,000 & 20 895, buyers Per Empire, for Manila and Australia, H'hong & Whampon Dock up bd., 50,000 ning, M. Carrasco, A. Claudino, J. G.o. Fenwick & Co. Limited. ...... 18,000 9 25 821, sellers Cordeiro, J. Duarte, Gonsalves, Miss New Amoy Dock Co., Ltd., 10,000 8 62 8 82 812, buyers Helms, MrB. Matheus, Mrs Matheus, Mrs Shanghai Dock and Eng. Co., Ld. 55,700 Tis. 100 Tis. 109, buyers PARSOANS, MUCH, MYC. S. N. Nazareth, Mr A. P. de Oliveira, Mr Oblas and Manils S. S. Co., Ed. 30,000 8 25 8 25 822, sellers A. Paschoal, Major C. S. Paton, Mr. A. Douglas Steamship Co., Limited .... 20,000 g Pereira, Sister S. Pimental, M s Sampson | HK. C. and M. Steamboat Co., Ed. 80,000 | 3 ndo-China S. N. Company, Limited 60,000 g 10 all 887 tar Perry Company, Ed. ...... 10.000 g 108 5 820, sellera Shell Transport & Trading Co. Ltd. 2,000,000 £ 1 30/ ex div. Paku Tog and Eighter Co., Ed. ... Shanghai Tug & Lighter Co., Ltd. 200,000 Tls. do Preference. 1 100,000 Tis. 50, sellers. REFINERIES. Onina Bugar Company, Limited...... all \$130, huyers 20,000 |8 Enson Sugar Comrany! Limited. all \$21, sellers Perak Sugar Cultivation Co., Ed. 50 Tla 50 Tls. 111 7,000 Tla. WHARVAS. HK. &Kow. Wharf & Godown Co. | 30,000 | 20,000 Tis. 100 Tis100 Tis. 235, × New Issue Shanghal and Horgkew Wharf Co. Tls. 225, New Issue LAND AND BUILDING. Hongkong Land Investment and 60,000 \$

Agency Company, Limited...... 50,000 Stanghal Land Investment Co., 52,000 Tls. 50 Tie.50 Tie. 103 50 8 25 862h, New Issue. Sowloon Land and Building Com. 50 8 30 \$384, buyers Wel-bei-wei Land & Building Co., Ed West Point Building Co., Himited.... 12,500 \$ 50 8 50 \$521, bayers PRAHWATE. 4K High-Level Tramways Co., Ed. all |\$215 1.250 codété Brancaise des Charbon-16,000 Fcs. 250 | all |2450, Nominal nages du Tonkin, menterment Raub Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ed. 200,000£ 1 18/10 881, buyera Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd. ... 12,000 3 60 all \$115, bu Aster House Hotel Ltd. (Tientale). 2,000 T.Tis.50 Tis.50 Tis. 135 25 8 25 830 Agtor House Hotel Co., Ltd. (S'hal. 30,000 8 DIRPERSARIES. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited ..... 90,000 8 HK. and China Gas Co., Limited ... 7.000 E Shanghai Gas Company, Ltd. ..... 8,000 Tis. 50 Tla.50 Tla. 1221

Hongkong Electric Co., Limited. ... 60,000 3 10 3 10 816 BRICK AND ORMENT. Green Island Oement Co., Ed. ..... 200.000 10 8 10 8211, sellers MIRCHITARIESUS. Belle Asbestos Eastern Agency, United Asbestos Oriental Agency, 1 0,000 ord, y 8 Hk. Steam Waterboat Co. Ltd. ... 15,000 8 25 all \$250, bayers Shanghal Waterworks Co., Ltd. 10 all \$21, sellers H kong Rope Manufactory Co., Ld. 50,000 8 10 8 10 3114 Hongkong Cotton Spinning Co., Ld. 125,000 8 Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weav- 20,000 Tls. 60 Tls 50 Tls. 74 ing Co., Ed. serversessessessessesses International Cotton Ma ulactur-10,000 Tis. 75 Tis.75 Tis. 82 ing Co., Ed. ..... Laon-Kung-Mow Cotton planing | 8,000 Tis. 100 Tis 100 Tis. 130 and Weaving Co., Ed. Soy Chee Octton Spinnin: Co., Ld. 2,000 Tls. 500 Tls500 Tls. 375 China Provident Loan Mortgage 200,000 8 10 8 10 834 12 8 12 \$10, sellere The Postal Guide for 1907 and the China Borneo Company, Ltd. ..... 60,000 revised tariff of Parcel Post Rates are now Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited ... 1,200 |8 10 all \$30, sellers 10 8 10 | 874, buyers 25 8 25 224 South Chins Morning Post

OIGAR COMPANIES. 

Amount.

Chinese Imperial 1888 ETIs. 767.200 Tis. 2507 % p. annum Ps.

Value.

10 3 10 89

VERNON and SMITH, Share-Broker.

Interest.

Printed and published for THE CHINA MAIL, Limited, by WILLIAM HIBBY DOMAIN at No. 5. Wyndham Street, Hongkong.